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# Fall Planting



HE question is often asked. When is the better time to plant, fall or spring? The answer depends upon what is to be planted and when the question is asked. If it is asked in the summer or fall, then fall is undoubtedly the better time to plant all trees, shrubs and herbaceous plants of unquestioned hardiness, and then the fall is a time of comparative leisure in gardening operations and the weather is more favorable and the soil is usually in better condition and pleasanter to work in than it is in our springs, wet and cold as they are nine years out of ten. It must be remembered, however, if the best results are wanted with hardy herbaceous plants, they should be planted early enough in the fall for them to become established before freezing weather sets in, otherwise they are apt to be thrown out of the ground by frost in winter-time. This can be prevented by a mulching of stable manure, and the mulching is a benefit in any event. As far as possible, we would advise the planting of hardy plants in September or early in October, but of course many of them are not in condition to transplant until the fifteenth of October. Hardy Roses, Peonies, Iris, and many other hardy plants give best results when planted in the fall. Trees and shrubs may be planted from the fifteenth of October until the ground freezes. Magnolias, Rhododendrons, Azaleas and many other things should be planted in the spring, so as to have a season's growth before having to endure a winter's severity; but when anything is ordered that should not be planted until spring, we always advise our customers of it.

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 ${\tt KEIZERKROON\ TULIPS}$  The largest and showiest of the early-flowering Tulips. (See page 4)

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NARCISSUS, GOLDEN SPUR (See page 6)

## DUTCH BULBS

As a rule we import bulbs to order only, but many of our customers neglect to send us their orders in time, and we are obliged to buy the stock in this country to fill these late orders, charge higher prices and deliver inferior stock. We have imported a few varieties of the very choicest and most desirable plants and bulbs in excess of our orders, and offer them at the same prices as if imported to order. These fine things are described in this Catalogue, but the prices quoted will be good only until the stock we have imported is exhausted. We can not buy these bulbs in America and sell them at such low prices. Much of the stock described was personally selected this summer in Europe. We shall be pleased to quote prices on all varieties of Dutch Bulbs not offered in this list. These will not be of our own importation, but will be purchased from American dealers.

## Narcissus, Bicolor Empress

(THE QUEEN OF DAFFODILS)

Very large flowers of pure white, with rich yellow trumpet, strikingly beautiful, fine for out-of-doors or for forcing. This is the finest of all Daffodils and one of the most beautiful hardy flowers grown. It should be planted where it can remain permanently. It will increase in size and beauty year after year. It really gives me great pleasure to offer this grand Daffodil at the following low prices, and it can now be planted by the hundreds and thousands, as it deserves to be. A few years ago it was selling in Holland at \$40 per 100, when I thought it one of the most beautiful hardy flowers in cultivation; an opinion I still hold, after growing it in my garden ever stace. It is an acquaintance that improves with age. The bulbs I offer are from one of the most famous growers in Holland, who has made a specialty of this Daffodil since its introduction. 40 cts. per doz., \$2.50 per 100, \$22 per 1,000.

Narcissus, Emperor

This is the largest and finest deep yellow trumpet-flowered Daffodil in cultivation, and is really superb, both in foliage and flower. A few years ago it was selling at \$25 per 100, and last year we sold it at what was considered a very low price, \$7 per 100; but a contract made in Holland this year enables us to offer fine bulbs at the following prices: 45 cts. per doz., \$2.75 per 100, \$24 per 1,000.

## A Great Tulip, Gesneriana (Hortensis)

The tallest, largest-flowered and showiest of all Tulips for bedding out in masses. Height, 2 to 3 feet. Flowers of enormous size, on strong, graceful stems, and the most durable of all Tulips, as it holds its beautiful color and keeps perfect for a long time, flowering in May. Color rich crimson-scarlet, with glittering blue-black center. There is no Tulip, no matter how high-priced, that will give as much satisfaction. There are many Tulips sent out under this name that are not the true variety. I have secured the best stock in Holland, and I guarantee that every bulb I send is the true major variety. One of the good qualities of this Tulip is that it can be used for permanent planting and will improve year after year. 30 cts. per doz., \$1.75 per 100, \$14 per 1,000.

## Late Tulip, "Blushing Bride" This is one of the largest, showiest and most beautiful Tulips in

This is one of the largest, showiest and most beautiful Tulips in cultivation, blooming in May at the same time as Gesneriana. Beautiful rose-pink, slightly shaded white, fine form and extra-large flower. 35 cts. per doz., \$2.25 per 100.

## Late Tulip, "Bouton d'Or"

Deep rich yellow flowers on tall stems. The best late yellow Tulip in cultivation and fine for cutting. 25c. per doz., \$1.65 per 100.

## HYACINTHS.

Mixed Hyacinths Should Never Be Used for House or Greenhouse Culture

Ready about September 15 to 20. The prices quoted include packing, and bulbs will be shipped by express or freight, from Pittsburg, charges to be paid by customer. The prices of Hyacinths have advanced sharply in Holland this season, and retail prices will be much higher this fall. Comparatively, our prices are lower than ever.

SINGLE MIXED HYACINTH	S		
E	ach	Doz.	100
Red and Dark Red \$6	06	\$0 50	\$3 50
Pink	06	50	3 50
Blush-White	06	50	3 50
Pure White	06	60	4 00
Dark Blue and Purple	06	50	3 25
Light Blue	06	50	3 25
Yellow	06	60	4 50
All Colors, Mixed	05	45	3 00
Double, All Colors	06	60	4 00

#### SINGLE NAMED HYACINTHS

The following Hyacinths are a selection of the best varieties for house culture. Bulbs of best quality and size.

	ach	Doz.
Baron van Thuyll. Very fine; pink; extra large spike \$0		\$1 10
" " Blue. Large truss; dark blue	11	1 20
Baroness van Thuyll. Early; pure white	11	1 20
Charles Dickens. The best pink; extra large spike		1 40
Cardinal Wiseman. Soft rose, carmine stripe; large truss.	12	1 30

	Each	Doz.
Gigantea. Blush; splendid truss	0 11	\$1 20
Ida. Citron-yellow; fine spike; the finest yellow Hyacint	h	
in cultivation	. 13	1 50
King of the Blues. Splendid; finest dark blue	. 10	1 00
La Grandesse. Purest white; extra fine	. 16	1 75
La Peyrouse. Clear light blue	. 10	1 00
Leviathan. Beautiful blush-pink; large bells and spikes	:	
a most distinct and charming variety	. 13	1 40
Lord Derby. Light blue; one of the finest	. 20	1 80
Lord Macaulay. Very fine; bright red; extra large spike	;	
one of the best	. 12	1 25
Paix de l'Europe. Very fine; snow-white; long truss	. 11	1 20
Queen of the Blues. Light blue; silvery appearance	. 13	1 50
ROMAN HYACINTHS	Don	100
White. Selected; 12-15	Doz. 80 60	\$4 00

## **TULIPS**

#### MIXED TULIPS

					1,000
Fine I	Mixed	Single.	Quality	equals that generally sold\$0 80	\$7 00
Extra	Fine	Mixed	Single.	Extra selected 1 00	9 00
6.6	6.6	4.6	Double.	" " … 1 25	11 00

#### SINGLE NAMED EARLY TULIPS

The letters A, B and C indicate the proportional earliness of the varieties if planted outdoors. A and B may be used together for bedding purpose, but those marked C are later. The numbers preceding names show the height of growth in inches. Those marked F after the name are the best for forcing in the house or greenhouse. The following are the very best varieties of Single Tulips in cultivation, and all will be found extremely effective for bedding.

		Doz.	1	UU	1,000
		Canary Bird. Fine, clear yellow. F\$0 20	\$1	60	\$14 00
В	8	Chrysolora. Large; golden yellow; best yel-			
		low for outdoors. F	1	25	10 50
В	6	Cottage Maid. White, edged with rose; extra			
		fine; lovely; splendid for bedding. F 25	1	50	11 75
C	9	Couleur Cardinal. Fine red	3	75	
В	8	Joost van Vondel. Large cherry-red and white;			
		splendid. F 30	1	75	15 75
В	9	Keizerkroon. Red and gold; large and showy;			
		a grand Tulip. F	2	50	20 00
В	9	La Reine (Queen Victoria). Rosy white. F 25	1	50	12 00
		Pottebakker. Pure white; best white. F 20	2	00	15 00
A	8	Rembrandt. Scarlet; fine 35	2	50	
		Rosa Mundi. Rose and white. F 25	1	50	11 00
В	5	Rose Grisdelin. Beautiful pink; a splendid			
		sort. F 30	2	00	17 00
B	8	Standard Silver. Crimson and white. F 30	2	00	18 00
В	8	Yellow Prince. Golden yellow; sweet-scented. 25	1	50	12 00

#### DOUBLE NAMED TULIPS

The varieties of Double Tulips described below are the most showy bedding Tulips that can be planted, and continue for an unusually long time in perfection. A 8 Imperator Rubrorum. Extra large; brilliant scarlet; fine for forcing, and one of the grandest for bedding..... ... \$0 60 \$1 00 \$31 00 B 7 Rex Rubrorum. Similar to above, but later; bright scarlet; splendid bedding sorts; lasts a long time in perfection...... 35 20 00 B 6 La Candeur. Pure white; a splendid bedding kind. Used with Rex Rubrorum to form bedding designs, it makes a fine effect.... 30 1 85 16 00 B 6 Murillo. Light pink; very early; splendid for 25 50

#### PARROT TULIPS

Parrot Tulips sometimes do not bloom satisfactorily, owing to improper planting, They like a light, sandy soil, shallow planting and a sunny location.

Parrot Tulips do not receive the attention they deserve. They

belong to the late- or May-flowering Tulips, and have immense, attractive flowers of singular and picturesque forms, and brilliant and varied colors. The petals are curiously fringed or cut, and the form of the flower, especially before it opens, resembles the neck of the parrot. They form extravagantly showy flower-beds, are of endless variety of form and color, and should be grown in every flower-gar-den in quantities. The Parrot Tulips we import are from the most famous grower of these in Holland, and very superior to those usually sent out.

Fine Mixed	. \$0 20	\$1 25
Perfecta. Yellow and scarlet	30	1 75
Cramoisie Brilliant, Scarlet; finest of all	30	1 75
Lutea major. Yellow; very fine	25	1 50

## CROCUS IN THE GRASS

There is no reason why everybody, even if only possessor of the smallest strip of grass, should not have it filled with Crocuses. The cost is but a trifle, and once planted they are no further trouble, and bloom beautifully year after year, and do not interfere with the mowing or care of the lawn whatever; but it should not be mown for two weeks after flowering of Crocus, and it does not need mowing earlier than this. They should be planted in the fall, and set from one to two inches below the surface of the ground. They can be planted with a narrow trowel or stiff-bladed knife. When a large quantity is to be planted, a very convenient implement can be made in the following manner: Take a piece of 1½-inch brass or iron pipe 15 inches long; grind one end of it quite sharp. By pushing this pipe into the ground the proper distance, it will cut out a core of sod and leave a hole to receive the Crocus bulb. By having a rod to fit the inside of the pipe, the core of sod can be forced back on top of the bulb and leave no trace of the work.

The Crocus is one of the first flowers to bloom in the spring, and it is no unusual sight to see the ground covered with snow and the Crocus in bloom at the same time. They are entirely hardy, do not deteriorate, and may be left undisturbed for years. It is a good plan to

plant Tulip and Hyacinth beds full of them, as they bloom and are out of the way before the other bulbs flower.

SELECT NAMED CROCUS	0 1.000
100 1,000   <b>Mont Blanc.</b> White; best	80 \$6 50
Baron von Brunow. Dark blue	85 7 50
Grand Lilas, Lilac; very early and fine	80 6 60
Madam Mina. Light blue, striped; very early; extra fine. 70 6 25   Sir Walter Scott. Finest striped	65 5 85

## **NARCISSUS**

Alba plena odorata (Double Poeticus). Pure white, resembling a gardenia; sweet-scented.	100	1,000	Jonquils (Campernelles). Yellow, sweet-scented \$0 20 Jonquils (Campernelles) rugulosus. Large golden	\$0 <sup>1</sup>	00 90	1,000 \$7 00
Must be planted in dry, well-drained soil or it will not bloom	\$0 90	\$8 50	yellow, larger and finer than the old Camper- nelles	1	25	10 00
gantly expanded crown, heavily stained orange- scarlet; extra fine	1 25		early in December. Bulbs ready in August 20			
Incomparabilis Cynosure. Large, sulphur-white petals; cup also sulphur-white, stained with orange-scarlet; very fine			Paper-White. New. Large-flowered	1	75	13 00
Incomparabilis alba Stella. Large white perianth, with yellow cup. A most charming and lovely variety, either for outdoors or forcing 20	1 00		in a dry and thoroughly drained soil	1	65 00	5 00 8 00
Incomparabilis, Sir Watkin (The Welsh Giant Daffodil). Very large petals of a rich sulphuryellow; large yellow cup, tinged with orange;			Princeps (Giant Irish Daffodil). Primrose perianth, with yellow trumpet; extra fine	1	25	9 50
immense flowers, sometimes $5\frac{1}{2}$ inches across 40 Jonquils, Double. Sweet-scented	2 50 2 00	15 00 6 00	Van Sion (Double Yellow Daffodil). One of the best forcing sorts; extra large, fine bulbs, and are not mixed with the inferior greenish flowered variety usually sold	1	0.5	17 60
Jonquils, Single. Sweet-scented	75	0 00	variety usuarry soru	1	50	17 00



NARCISSUS BICOLOR EMPRESS, NATURALIZED IN THE GRASS. (See page 3.) From "The Garden."

This may be considered rather a high-priced Daffodil for planting in the grass, but the effect produced is so lovely, and it is so hardy and vigorous and increases so rapidly that nothing can be planted that will be more satisfactory, and, as we control the best stock of it in Holland, we can make a specially low price in spite of the 25 per cent duty now levied on bulbs. If planted in orchards, meadows or any place where the grass is not mown by a lawn-mower, these Daffodils will increase in quantity and beauty year after year. Where they are planted the grass must not be mown before the middle of June, so that the bulbs have had time to ripen before the tops are cut off. Price, \$4 per 100, \$36 per 1,000.

#### LILY-OF-THE-VALLEY

(Ready in November)	Per 100	1,000
German Pips. Ready late in November	\$2 00	\$12 50
American Pips. Ready in time for outdoor plan	ting	
this fall. Not fit for forcing	1 50	9 00
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These pips are excellent for establishing plantations outdoors, as well as for forcing.

#### FREESIA REFRACTA ALBA

This charming flower is one of the most satisfactory bulbs that can be forced. It is certain to flower either in the conservatory or house

	Per doz.	100	1,000
Large bulbs	\$0 20	\$1 00	\$7 00
Mammoth bulbs			

## MISCELLANEOUS BULBS

CHIONODOXA Luciliæ (Glory-of-the-Snow). 15 cts. per doz., \$1 per 100, \$8 per 1,000.

GALANTHUS nivalis (Single Snowdrop). 15 cts. per doz., 75 cts. per 100, \$7.50 per 1,000.

IRIS Anglica (Mont Blanc). English Iris. Pure white; large and fine. This is the variety so largely grown in England for cut-flowers. 35 cts. per doz., \$2 25 per 100.

I. Anglica, Fine Mixed. 20 cts. per doz., \$1.25 per 100.

MILLA uniflora. This charming spring-flowering bulb is almost unknown in this country, but we know of nothing lovelier. We first saw it in the garden of the late Mr. Chas. A. Dana, "Dosoris," Long Island, and were delighted with it, as we are sure every one will be that tries it. It likes a rather moist soil and should be planted where it can remain permanently. It can also be bloomed in the house with the same treatment as hyacinths. For this pur-

MILLA uniflora, continued

pose several bulbs should be planted in a 6- or 7-inch pot. Charming white, star-like flowers with beautiful foliage, which covers the ground like a carpet. One of the choicest hardy bulbs and should be used in every garden. 20 cts. per doz., 75 cts. per 100.

 $\boldsymbol{M}.$  uniflora violacea. Same as above, with violet flowers. 25 cts. per doz., \$1 per 100.

SCILLA Sibirica. Finest sky-blue. Scilla Sibirica is one of the loveliest spring flowers. It has a color almost as deep as the sky itself. It is quite hardy, and flowers outdoors at the same time as the snowdrop, in front of which it has a charming effect. It is fine for planting in the grass. If planted in pots and kept indoors it may be had in bloom as early as Christmas. Its magnificent bright blue color makes it suitable for any decoration whatever. 18 cts. per doz., \$1 per 100, \$8.50 per 1,000.

## Special Offer of Golden Spur Narcissi

(See Illustration, page 3)

This is one of the most valuable of the Trumpet Narcissi, with magnificent deep yellow trumpet with brim expanding like Maximus, and large, spreading, full deep yellow petals. It is free-flowering and splendid both for house culture and outdoors, and is one of the most de-



SPANISH IRIS

ouse culture and outdoors, and is one of the most desirable varieties for naturalizing. By contracting for one hundred and fifty thousand bulbs of this variety, we are enabled to offer them at the following prices, which are less than half the prices usually asked: Large selected bulbs, 40 cts. per doz., \$2.50 per 100, \$22 per 1,000.

## New Narcissus, Mrs. Walter T. Ware

This superb new Narcissus is similar in appearance to the well-known Empress; extra large flowers, with pure white perianth and yellow trumpet. It is earlier, however, and blooms much more freely. It is still somewhat scarce and high-priced, but a favorable contract made with the largest grower of this variety enables us to offer first-class bulbs at a very low price. 60 cts. per doz., \$3.50 per 100, \$32 per 1,000.

## Late Tulip, La Nigrette

Almost black; makes a striking contrast if planted together with Bouton d'Or. 35c. per doz., \$2 per 100.

### SPANISH IRIS

These exquisitely beautiful Irises are almost unknown in this country, yet they are perfectly hardy, of the easiest culture and cheaper than crocuses. In England they are grown by the millions for cut-flowers. They bloom early in June and grow 15 to 18 inches high. They have a great combination and variety of color in the same flower; they are very diverse and of great richness, comprising all shades of blue, yellow and bronze, as well as pure white and are highly useful for decoration and cutting. They should be planted about 5 inches apart. These Irises are literally used by the million in England for cut-flowers, and no other flower is more popular. We advise all our customers to try a few hundred and in large gardens they should be planted by the thousands. The stock we offer is exceptionally fine.

	doz.	100	1,000
Blanche Fleur. White, tinted sky-			
blue\$0	15	\$0 75	\$6 00
0223	15	75	6 00
Count of Nassau. The finest dark blue	20	80	6 50
Louise. Beautiful shade of light	15	75	6 00
Splendid Mixture	10	30	2 50

## Fall Planting of LILIES

All Lilies are better for fall planting, but many varieties of Japanese Lilies do not arrive from Japan before the ground freezes up. There is one method, however, by which they can be planted late in November or in December, and that is to cover the ground in which they are to be planted before it freezes with 8 to 12 inches of stable manure. This will prevent the ground from freezing, and the manure can be removed and the Lilies planted upon their arrival. We will not deliver any varieties of Lilies which do not arrive until after hard freezing weather until spring, unless instructed otherwise. We repack Lilies arriving too late for fall delivery in sand and store them in a cold cellar until spring, when they are delivered as early as possible.

We have gone to considerable trouble to give our customers the opportunity of planting Japanese Lilies under the most favorable conditions, for we know of no flowers that are more strikingly beautiful and effective, or that will give more pleasure and satisfaction to the planter.

Lilies like a light, rich, well-drained but moist soil, and a partially shaded location. If planted in full exposure to the sun, the bed should be carefully mulched with 2 or 3 inches of rotted manure, leaves, sphagnum or moss. They thrive and are very effective when planted thickly among Rhododendrons or Azaleas, and may be used to advantage in any open spaces that may be in the shrubbery. Bulbs should be planted 6 inches deep and care taken that no manure comes in direct contact with them. Planted in quantity, they may be had in bloom from June until frost, and bloom freely the first season after planting.

Rubrum, Melpomene, Album and many other Lilies will thrive and increase in almost any soil, but unless the conditions are very favorable, Auratum Lilies deteriorate and a percentage will be lost every year; but they are so truly splendid, and are so inexpensive at the low price at which we offer them, that they will be found to be the best garden investment that can be made. Try these Lilies, and send your order at once, so that they can be sent to you immediately upon their arrival from Japan. Longiflorum Lilies are similar in appearance to the Bermuda Easter Lilies, but are much more satisfactory for outdoor planting, as they are perfectly hardy.



LILIUM SUPERBUM

### SOME GOOD LILIES

There is a tendency to plant little else but the Auratum and Speciosum varieties of Japanese Lilies, which are very beautiful but do not bloom until after the middle of July, and there is a host of June-blooming Lilies that should be found in every garden; and none more beautiful than our graceful, dainty little native Lily, Canadense, with its spotted red or



LILIUM SPECIOSUM ALBUM

ine-blooming Lines that should be found in every garden, and none more beautiful than our graceful, dainty little native Lily, Canadense, with its spotted red or yellow flowers. Nothing finer for naturalizing in meadow or orchard. It will thrive in the wettest ground, and so will the splendid Superbum, also a native Lily, blooming the end of June or early in July. We have seen the plants of this 8 feet high, with thirty or forty flowers. All varieties of Thunbergianum (Elegans) and Umbellatum Lilies bloom in June, and these are more vigorous and hardier or showier when planted in large clumps, and they are abundantly able to take care of themselves in almost any situation; and so are all varieties of Tiger Lilies, which make bold and most effective groups. A Japanese Lily not so well known is Hansoni, but one of the most distinct and desirable. It has a trick, however, of remaining dormant for a year after it is planted; in fact, I think it always does this if planted in the spring. Henryi, the new variety from Japan, is wonderfully vigorous and fine when established, but, as yet, the bulbs are extremely scarre and difficult to get. Brownii and Excelsum are two lovely Lilies, but the bulbs are getting very scarce and high-priced.

#### PRICES OF LILIES

The measurements given refer to circumference of bulbs, but the Japanese evidently use an elastic tape, as the bulbs never quite come up to the measurements given. We give these sizes, as they are generally used by the trade.

Per doz. 100

	TCI	uoz.	10	
Auratum. 8 to 9 inches.	. \$0	90	\$6	00
9 to 11 inches	. 1	50	10	00
11 to 13 inches	2	50	18	00
11 to 13 inches, selected bulbs		25	22	00
Longiflorum. The Longiflorum has large, pure white, trumpet-shape				
flowers like the Bermuda Easter Lily, but is perfectly hard				
5 to 7 inches		55	3	50
6 to 8 inches		75	5	00
7 to 9 inches		10	8	00
9 to 10 inches			12	00
Speciosum album. 8 to 9 inches			12	00
9 to 11 inches			19	00
11 to 13 inches			25	00
" Melpomene. Similar to Rubrum, but more brilliant.		0.0		-
7 to 9 inches	1	35	9	00
9 to 10 inches			13	
" rubrum, or roseum. Pink. 8 to 9 inches			3.0	00
9 to 12 inches		75	12	-
Monster bulbs.		40		00
monster builds	to Sed	10	A 1	00

RARE VARIETIES OF AURATUM	L	IL	IES
Auratum vittatum rubrum. Magnificent flowers, 10 to 1 inches across; clear, waxy white, with broad crimso	2	ech	Doz.
stripe through the center of each petal	. \$0	75	\$7 50
with red and yellow band through each petal  Auratum Wittei. A magnificent Lily; immense flower of the purest white, with a wide yellow stripe throug the center of each petal; very tall-growing and free	s h	35	3 50
blooming  Auratum macranthum. A grand variety of remarkabl strength and vigor; immense pure ivory-white flow ers with a golden band through each petal. Larg	e r-	75	7 50
bulbs, 8 to 10 inches	S	50	5 00
through center of each petal	f	60	6 00
OTHER JAPANESE LILIES		50	5 00
Each		7	100
<b>Brownii.</b> Japanese bulbs. Extremely handsome, large trumpet-shaped flowers; pure white in-			
	\$3		\$30 00
Batemanni. Bright apricot flowers in July Hansoni. A handsome variety flowering in June. Has bright orange-yellow flowers. The bulbs of this Lily often remain dormant for a	1		10 00
season after planting	7	00	50 00
but the flowers are a bright orange-yellow. 100  Krameri. Distinct from all other Lilies. Large			
flowers, of a soft, beautiful rose color  Leichtlinii, Yellow. Neat and elegant habit; flowers pure capary-vellow, crimson spots 30	3		10 00
flowers pure canary-yellow, crimson spots 30  Leichtlinii, Red. Orange-red, with crimson spots 40	4		
Rubellum. This is a beautiful new Lily, similar to Krameri	2 :	25	15 00



LILIUM LONGIFLORUM

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EUROPEAN-GROWN LILIES	100
Brownii. An extremely handsome, hardy Lily, with	100
large, trumpet-shaped flowers like those of Longi- florum or the Bermuda Easter Lily; pure white in-	
side, but the outer part of the petals is a beautiful	
purplish brown. This is a very choice Lily, but good bulbs of it are scarce. We have succeeded in	
finding a fine stock of extra fine bulbs in Europe,	
which are very superior to the Japanese stock offered. This Lily should be grown in every gar-	
deneach, 50 cts\$5 50	\$40 00
Candidum (Madonna, or Annunciation Lily). This is	
the old-fashioned garden Lily, and one of the most beautiful. It should never be planted later than	
September 15, as it makes a fall growth	10 00
form, beauty of color and delightful fragrance of	
this variety has made it a favorite wherever grown. It grows 4 to 6 feet high, and produces six to twelve	
flowers of delicate light buff color, blooming in June	
and Julyeach, 55 cts 5 50  Thunbergianum (elegans) aurantiacum. Dark orange-	
brown. The Thunbergianums are	
all of the easiest culture. Bloom in June 3 25	
" aureum. Yellow; dwarf 1 00	7 00
"fulgens. Red, shaded with orange. One of the best	25 00
" Van Houttei. Very large; scarlet-	
purple; very fine	16 00
double Lily worth growing 70	5 00
"Simplex. The well-known single Tiger Lily. Of the easiest culture, and worthy of gen-	
eral planting on account of its stately	4.00
habit and fine effect in the landscape 60  "splendens. Improved single Tiger Lily 65	4 00 4 50
Umbellatum erectum. Scarlet, with brown spots 1 50	9 50
" grandiflorum. Orange, brown spots 1 50 Incomparable. Dark red, brown spots 1 80	9 50 10 00
"In Fine Mixture	8 00
trumpet-shaped flowers, suffused with yellow. Very	
scarceeach, \$2.50	
	LIES
NATIVE AND AMERICAN-GROWN LI	LIES
NATIVE AND AMERICAN-GROWN LI Canadense flavum. Our dainty, beautiful native Lily;	100
NATIVE AND AMERICAN-GROWN LI Canadense flavum. Our dainty, beautiful native Lily; graceful and charming yellow flowers\$1 50	
NATIVE AND AMERICAN-GROWN LIVE Canadense flavum. Our dainty, beautiful native Lily; graceful and charming yellow flowers\$1 50 rubrum. Red flowers. A most lovely and graceful Lily. Fine for planting in the	100
NATIVE AND AMERICAN-GROWN LIDOZ.  Canadense flavum. Our dainty, beautiful native Lily; graceful and charming yellow flowers\$1 50 rubrum. Red flowers. A most lovely and graceful Lily. Fine for planting in the grass of orchards or meadows 1 50	100 \$10 00
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## Formation of Lawns from Seed

The ground should be thoroughly drained and well prepared. The soil ought not to be too rich, as a rapid growth is not wanted in the grasses of a lawn, but the surface should be as much alike in quality as possible. After sowing, the ground should be rolled, in order to press the seed firmly into the soil. The proper time to



press the seed firmly into the soil. The proper time to sow grass seed depends, of course, upon the latitude. In the central and eastern states, from September 15 to October 15 is the best time. Seed may also be sown in the spring, provided it is done early enough to secure a good, strong growth before the hot, dry weather of summer sets in. The sowing should be done when the ground is moist, or before an expected rain, and a subsequent rolling is always advisable.

ROLLING.—As soon as the frost is out of the ground in the spring the land should be gone over with a heavy roller. Winter frosts loosen the soil, and rolling is necessary to compress it again. If grass seed is to be sown, this should be done first and the rolling immediately afterward. Frequent rollings are recommended.

Mowing.—All turf-forming grasses are improved, both in vigor of root-growth and fineness of texture, by frequent mowings. It is impossible to say just how often the grass should be mown, as that depends upon the rate at which it grows. Too close cutting should be guarded against, however, especially during the hot summer months, when the roots require some top-growth to protect them from the burning sun. A good top-growth is also necessary to protect the roots from the severe winter frosts. Mowing should, therefore, be discontinued in time to let the grass grow pretty long before winter sets in.

To Grass a Bank or Terrace.—For each square rod take a pound of lawn grass seed and mix it thoroughly with six cubic feet of good, dry garden loam. Place in a tub and add liquid manure, diluted with about two-thirds of water, so as to bring the whole to the consistency of mortar. The slope must be made perfectly smooth, and then well watered, after which the paste should be applied and made as even and as thin as possible.

#### PRICES OF CRASS SEED

We can supply the very best quality of Mixed Lawn Grass Seed for \$3 per bushel. This is exactly the same quality of seed that is usually sold for \$5 per bushel as Central Park Mixture, or under some other fancy name. Grass seed weighs only 14 pounds per bushel, and can be shipped inexpensively by express. We do not supply less than one-half bushel. Special prices quoted for large quantities. Grass seed is sold by weight, 14 pounds for a bushel; but 14 pounds of clean.grass seed will not fill a bushel. Grass seed can be sown advantageously in the fall, preferably in September. Prices: ½ bushel, \$1.65; 1 bushel, \$3; 10 bushels, \$2.75 per bushel; 25 bushels or over, \$2.50 per bushel. Small quantities shipped from here; large quantities from Cincinnati.

## Low Prices for Hydrangeas

No more popular plant or shrub has ever been sent out than **Hydrangea paniculata grandiflora**, and we take great pleasure in offering our customers a large stock of splendid vigcrous plants at such extremely low prices as will enable them to plant this effective shrub in quantity. People who have only seen this Hydrangea grown singly as specimens have no conception of how beautiful and effective

they are when planted in masses. They are planted in this way at Newport, R. I., which is famous for its fine gardens, and almost as famous for its Hydrangeas. These Hydrangeas can be planted in connection with other shrubbery or in isolated beds, in the same manner as cannas, caladiums or other strong-growing bedding plants. They are perfectly hardy, and, once planted, they are a permanent addition to the lawn or garden. When grown in beds or groups they should be planted about two feet apart, in very rich soil, which should be liberally enriched annually with rotten stable manure; and in the early spring, before they commence to grow, cut back so as to leave only two or three inches of the new growth of the previous season, and, if extremely large flowers are desired, cut out some of the weaker shoots after growth has commenced. Treated in this manner they will produce enormous panicles of flowers, and the beds will be a solid mass of bloom. They bloom profusely the same season planted. Try them. You will find them more than satisfactory.

Prices good until stock is exhausted. Fall or spring delivery.

#### Hydrangea paniculata grandiflora-

	25	50	100
18 to 24 inches	\$3 50	\$6 50	\$12 00
2 to 3 feet; extra large and bushy	5 00	8 50	15 00

All of the above will bloom the first year, and are superior to the stock commonly retailed at 25 cents to \$1 each.

It is suggested that when smaller quantities are wanted two or three club together in ordering.

For prices on smaller quantities, see list of Hardy Shrubs.



HYDRANGEA PANICULATA GRANDIFLORA



PÆONY FESTIVA MAXIMA

One of the finest white Peonies in cultivation

## TREE PEONIES

Our stock of these splendid shrubby Peonies is the largest in America

The Japanese varieties are the most beautiful, but the most difficult to grow on account of suckering. The European varieties are grafted on herbaceous roots and do not sucker. Tree Peonies do not die to the ground in winter, but in time make quite large, shrubby bushes. There is a record of a plant in England that produced over 500 flowers at a time. The flowers are distinct from the herbaceous varieties, and are of a wonderful size and beauty. They are produced early in the spring, and are sometimes injured by late frosts. If the Japanese varieties are planted, care must be taken to remove all suckers that are produced below the graft.

#### JAPANESE

Fine blooming plants (grafted) in 25 choice varieties, \$1 each, \$10 per dozen.

Extra selected blooming plants in 25 choice varieties, \$1.50 each. \$15 per dozen.

#### EUROPEAN

Best Named Varieties. 2 years old	Each . \$1 50	Doz. \$15 00		
4 years old	. 2 25	24 00		
5 years old	. 3 00	32 00		
Queen Elizabeth. One of the best European varieties.				
2 years old	. 1 75	18 00		
4 years old	. 2 50			
5 years old	. 3 25	36 00		
Moutan. A fine old pink variety	. 75	8 00		



MOUTAN TREE PEONY

## HERBACEOUS PEONIES

It gives us great pleasure to see the increasing popularity of Peonies, for their is nothing more deserving, and when the merit and beauty of the newer varieties are known every garden will contain a large collection. Like the Irishman's whiskey, all varieties of Peonies are good, even the commonest old-fashloned sorts, but there is no language to describe the glorious beauty of the finest of the newer varieties. In no other flower has there been such a marked improvement, and they actually surpass the finest rose in size, form and coloring, and their ease of culture and extreme hardiness are too well known to enlarge upon. Always having a keen appreciation of these superb flowers, we have for years collected all the varieties obtainable in the world, and now have the largest collection of varieties and the most extensive stock in America. Peonies planted in August or September will bloom the following season. Of many varieties offered in the following list, we can supply large undivided clumps at from three to five times the prices quoted—prices depending upon how many salable plants the clumps would make if divided. By planting these undivided clumps a fine display of flowers can be had next season.

## JAPANESE

Double and Semi-Double. Fine varieties. These Eac	h D	oz.	100
are really very choice and distinct from varie-			
ties grown in this country, and will give the			
greatest satisfaction\$0 6	<b>0</b> \$6	00	\$45 00
Single. Fine varieties. The finest single Peonies			
undoubtedly come from Japan. They are			
equal or superior to single sorts coming from			
Europe costing three times as much 7	0 7	50	55 00

#### CHOICE NAMED

Agida. Brilliant red; very free-flowering		50
mine; fine 75	8	00
Anemonæflora rubra. Dark carmine-red 50	5	00
Arthemise. Large flowers; lovely soft rose and salmon;		
very beautiful 1 00		
August Miellez. Large flowers, in clusters; clear lilac		
and purple, center chamois and lilac	4	√()

Armandine Mechin. Large flowers in clusters; very Each	ch l	Doz.
brilliant clear amaranth\$0 (	60 \$	66 0 <b>0</b>
Asa Gray. Large, full flower, imbricated, beautiful form; carnation-salmon, powdered with carmine-lilac. One		
of the best	50	
Achille. Delicate flesh-color, very fresh coloring	25	2 50
Boule de Neige. Large, cup-shaped flower of perfect shape; white, lightly sulphured, center bordered with		
bright carmine; extra fine 1 8	50	
Beranger. Large, cup-shaped imbricated flower; mauve,		
shaded pink; late variety	75	
Berthe Dhour. Pretty soft pink, silvery shaded	75	7 50
Carnea alba. Large flower; clear carnation, center white		
	75	8 00
Carnea elegans. Fine flower of perfect form; large petals, clear carnation with satin reflex mixed with		
small yellow petals; very fresh coloring; fine	75	7 50
Charles Toche. Large, globular flowers; clear purple, with carmine reflex, golden stamens. Very elegant		
variety 1 (	00	



BORDER OF HERBACEOUS PEONIES

CHOICE NAMED PEONIES, continued	
Couronne d'Or (Golden Crown). Large, imbricated white	Doz.
flower, yellow reflex with stripes of carmine and golden	
stamens; extra fine\$0 75	\$8 <b>C</b> O
Curiosity. Large petals of clear violet-red, those of the	,
center transformed into golden ligules; very distinct	
and pretty variety 50	5 00
Carlotta Grisy. Large purple flowers, shaded carnation-	
rose; extra	5 00
Charles Binder. Beautiful lively deep rose; equally	
beautiful form	8 00
Comte de Cussy. Soft pink center intermixed with sal-	
mon stripes 35	3 50
Daubenton. Compactly curled anemone-formed flower;	
lilac-purple rose; white edge; very beautiful 50	5 00
Denis Nelie. Crimson-red; dwarf	5 00
Descartes. Very large flower; brilliant clear amaranth 50	5 00
Dr. Bretonneau (Verdier). Large, globular flower; large	
rose petals and clear white; beautiful	4 00
Duchesse de Nemours (Calot). Very beautiful cup-shaped	
flower, sulphur-white with greenish reflex; pretty bud;	
extra fine 1 00	10 00
Dugueslin. Rosy carmine	4 00
Dorchester. Cream-color, tinged pink; very double;	
fragrant 1 00	
Delachii, Large, cup-shaped flower, deep amaranth 35	3 50
Edouard Andre. Large globular flower. Deep crimson-	
red shaded black, with metallic reflex; stamens golden	
yellow, magnificent coloring, producing a grand effect. 2 00	
Edulis superba. Very large flower of perfect shape; beau-	
tiful brilliant tinted violet mixed with whitish ligules;	
silver reflex	4 00
Festiva maxima. Very large, pure white flower, with some	
blood-red stains in center; tall stalks, beautiful foliage,	

and very free-flowering. One of the very best white Each	Doz.
Peonies in cultivation\$0 75	\$8 00
SMALL PLANTS	3 50
Clumps	
Festiva. Dwarf; pure white, center carmine-spotted 30	3 00
Floral Treasure. Soft rose; ligules buff, with tufts of	
rose petals in center; distinct and fine; fragrant 75	8 00
Francis Ortegal. Dark purple-crimson; very large, fine,	
double and sweet	8 00
Fulgida. Violet-purple, red	5 00
Golden Harvest, Nearest approach to yellow	8 00
General Cavaignac. Lovely lilac-pink, shaded clearer	
pink	
Gloire de Charles Gombault. Pretty globular flower, extra	
full; deep fleshy pink collar, center petals salmoned	
clear fleshy color, shaded apricot with tuft of petals	
pink striped with carmine; multi-color variety of lovely	
coloring 1 50	
Humei rosea, A splendid old sort, with deep rose flowers;	
one of the latest to bloom	3 00
J. B. Rendatler, Large imbricated flower, clear cerise-	
pink, with silver reflex; late variety 50	5 00
Jeanne d'Arc. Large flowers of soft rose, sulphur-white	
and lively rose, center stained carmine, lovely flesh	
coloring 1 00	10 00
La Coquette. Large flower of perfect shape; lively beau-	
tiful rose, center flesh-pink, salmon and carmine; one	
of the finest 1 00	10 00
La Tulipe. Very large, globular flower; rosy white center,	
outside of the flower lively carmine, center striped deep	
carmine; extra fine	8 00
L'Illustration, Lovely pink, silvery reflex	8 00
L'Innocence. White, rosy outer petals	4 00
Louis Van Houtte. Large flower of lively violet-red; very	. 00
builliant: a wary heartiful variaty	6 00



PEONY, RUBRA SUPERBA

CHOICE NAMED PEONIES, continued	ach	Doz.
Lutetiana. Light rose and salmon\$0	40	\$1 00
M. Chevreul. Large, imbricated flowers, very full; beau-	40	4 00
tiful lilac, shaded pink; very fresh coloring	40	4 00
ivory-white	00	
Mme. Calot. Large, peony-shaped flower; very double,		
carnation-white, tinted yellow	50	5 00
Mme. Chaumy. Large flowers in cluster; rose-shaded,		
large silvery border; very late variety	75	
Mme. de Verneville. Very pretty anemone flower, very full: collar of large petals, those of the center very		
close; carnation-white and sulphur, sometimes car-		
mine; extra 1	00	10 00
Mme. de Vatry. Very large flower of perfect shape; color		
clear carnation, sulphur-white center with carmine		
stripes; extra fine variety	50	
pink1	25	
Madame Barrillet-Deschamps. Very tender, pink bor-		
dered white, shaded with lively silvery tints; vig-		
orous grower; lovely variety	75	8 00
Marie. White, washed with chamois; very late variety  Madame Schmidt. Beautiful flower, soft pink	75 50	8 00 5 00
Maxima Rosea. Large pink flower	25	2 50
Madame Furtado, Guard petals brightviolet-pink, bright		
salmon-pink center	40	4 00
Madame Montot. Large flower, broad petals; bright		
cherry-carmine with silvery reflex on the border	75	8 00
Mathilde de Roseneck. Fleshy pink, shaded Each Doz.		
chamois, with a narrow carmine edge\$1 00  Marguerite Gerard. Lovely light pink; one	37,5	
of the most exquisitely beautiful Peonies	1	
in cultivation 5 00		
Mile. Leonie Calot. Soft salmon-flesh, oc-	\$ .	
casionally petal tipped carmine; very	1 3	Sec.
fragrant		
amaranth		
Magnifica. White, center yellowish 25 2 50	6	The same
Ne Plus Ultra. Very large flower of good		A
shape, fresh and lively pink 60 6 00		
Nivea plenissima. Yellowish white, stained		
carmine; dwarf plant		
coloring		( )
Officinalis. Single; white 40 4 00	300	- 1 To 1
Officinalis alba (Old Double White). Blush-	Ŋ.	
white; early-flowering		
Officinalis rosea (Old Double Rose). Rich bright shining rose; very early 35 3 50		
Old Double Crimson. This fine old Peony is		
very effective when planted in masses;		and the second
one of the earliest to bloomper 100, \$20 30 3 00		
Octave Demay. Very large flower, very		
delicate pink, with narrow collar of rib- bon-like white petals, center deeper flesh		
with occasional purple petaloids. Fra-	By.	
grant and good keeper; dwarf and distinct. 1 50	E mark	
Palassi. Light rose, blush center 40 4 00		
Perfection (Richardson). Light pink, fading to flesh; fine and fragrant		
Philomele. Soft satiny rose-color, center	7	1 20 8
composed of saffron-yellow ligules tufted	2 5	AND THE
lively red; an elegant flower of remark-	1. 2	
able freshness		
Phrynee. White, center light yellow, blotched red; extra		
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Plenissima rosea superba. Very full convex flower, beau-Each	Doz.
tiful pink and salmon\$0 35	\$3 50
Pottsi. Dark purple; sometimes semi-double 36	3 00
Prince de Salm Dyck. Lovely lilac, chamois center, tufted	
lilae 50	5 00
Prince Imperial. Very large flowers; shining purple-	
scarlet. Very beautiful	5 00
Princess Galitzen. Soft carnation, very narrow center,	
petals of sulphur-yellow; fine 1 00	
Purpurea superba. Large flower, violet and red; very	
beautiful 40	4 00
Prolifera tricolor. Guard petals soft flesh, center golden	
yellow with red tuft 1 00	
R. H. Boggs. Crimson outer petals, with flesh-white	
center; distinct and fine 50	5 00
Reine Victoria. Carnation-white, center clear yellow, red	
stamens	2 50
Rose d'Amour. Large flower of very soft carnation-pink;	
very fresh color; fine	
Rubra superba (Richardson). Grand globe-shaped flower;	
purplish crimson; very late. One of the finest reds in	
cultivation 1 00	10 00
Rubra Triumphans, Crimson-purple 60	6 00
Rosea grandiflora, Rose; large fine flower 25	2 50
Solfaterre. Collar of large, pure white petals, those of	
the center narrow and sulphur-yellow. One of the best. 1 00	
Souvenir de l'Exposition du Mans. Large flower; beautiful	
lively violet-red, with brilliant silvery reflex; extra fine. 1 00	10 00
Sarah Bernhardt. Large flowers of fine effect; corolla of	
large petals, lively violet-rose, center salmon 1 00	



SINGLE PEONIES



A SPECIMEN PLANT OF DOUBLE PEONY

CHOICE NAMED PEONIES, continued Ea	ch	Doz.
Sulphurea. White, shaded with light sulphur. Very		
chaste\$0	75	
Tenuifolia. Same as following variety, but with beauti-		
ful single flowers	40	\$1 00
Tenuifolia flore pleno. Deeply cut, fringe-like foliage,		
flowers bright scarlet-crimson; rare and fine	50	5 00
Triomphe de l'Exposition de Lille. Large, imbricated		
flower; soft carnation-pink, with white reflex, carmine		
center; very fresh coloring. One of the best 1	00	10 00
Triomphe du Nord. Violet-rose, lilac shade	30	3 00
Triumphans Gandavensis. Large flower, pinkish white,		
shaded chamois; good habit	75	8 00
Van Dyck. Fresh salmon-rose, with lighter center; large		
convex flower. Very striking	40	4 00
Victoria Modeste. Large flowers of violet-rose, center		
petals marked with large salmon lines	75	
Victoire de l'Alma. Large flower of perfect form, pur-		
plish violet-scarlet, silvery reflex; extra	50	5 00
Victoire Leman. Fresh pink collar, sulphur center, bor-		
dered carmine; very pretty flower	60	6 00
Violacea spherica. Carmine-violet; very double	75	8 00
Virginie. Large flower, pink, tinted lilac, very fresh		
coloring; late	75	7 50
Whitleyi. White; large and sweet	35	3 50
Zoe Calot. Very large flower, globular very full, soft		
pink, shaded lilac; extra fine	60	6 00

### KELWAY PEONIES

Kelway & Son are the most famous of the English Peony-growers. The following is a selection of their best varieties:

Agnes	Mary	Ke	lway	. Li	ght	rose	guar	d p	etals,	yellow	peta-	Each
loids	, with	a	rose	tuft	es	tra	fine.	Fir	st-clas	s cert	ificate,	
R. B.	S											\$1 00
Arimua	Pur	nle	-arim	con	chor	orin o	colder		thona			75

Baroness Schroeder. Lovely flesh-pink. First-class Certificate, Each
R. B. S\$2 00
Cyclops. Purple-crimson. First-class Certificate, R. B. S 40
Cavalleria Rusticana. Very full, dark purple-crimson. First-class
Certificate, R. B. S,
Duchess of Teck. An excellent variety; large and of good form,
attractively colored, creamy white and bright pink. First-class
Certificate, R. B. S. Award of Merit, R. H. S 2 00
Duke of Cambridge. A very handsome bright crimson flower; a
superb variety; the very best of its color 1 50
Duke of Clarence. Cream, slightly flushed pink. First-class
Certificate, R. B. S 2 00
Glory of Somerset. Soft pink, large, beautiful. First-class Cer-
tificate, R. H. S



SPECIMEN TREE PEONY

KELWAY PEONIES, continued
Helena. White, inner petalst ipped yellow. First-
class Certificate, R. B. S\$2 00
Ilion. White guard petals and white narrow center petals
Joan Seaton. Double, bright cherry-rose, each
petal edged with a lighter color; rose-shaped
flowers, showing anthers amongst the petals;
nicely scented. Certificate of Merit, R. B. S.,
1897
mine; very sweet. "A large-flowered variety of
a soft blush-pink shade, delicate and beautiful;
a very fine-habited strong plant."—The Garden.
"Lady Beresford is a huge white flower, with a tinge of buff at the base of the broad, soft seg-
ments; a magnificent bloom."—Gardener's
Magazine. Award of Merit, R. H. S 3 00
Lady Carrington. Flesh; very fine, sweet-smelling.
First-class Certificate, R. H. S
Lady Gwendolin Cecil. A very delicate lavender-
flesh: a beautiful flower; late-flowering. First- class Certificate, R. B. S 3 00
Langport Queen. Of a beautiful rosy blush color,
suffused with pink; very fine
Leonard Kelway. Pink guard petals, enclosing a
convex cushion of cream-colored petals finished
off by a pink crest. First-class Certificate, 1900. 4 00
Limosel. Very bright, clear, light lilac-rose; very
large flower: full double, with a broad guard petal and narrower petals in the center; sweet-
scented. Certificate of Merit, R. B. S., 1897 1 50
Lottie Collins. Deep purple; early-flowering.
Award of Merit, R. H. S
Lyde. Rose-color center, tinted pink; distinct and extra fine. First-class certificate, R. H. S 1 50
Miss Brice. Rose guard petals, yellow and rose petaloids, rose tuft. First-class Certificate,
R. H. S
Miss Salway. White guard petals, sulphur center;
very fine. First-class Certificate, R. H. S., and
Certificate of Merit, R. B. S
Mrs. Stubbs. Delicate flesh-colored guard petals, with a white center; a very beautiful flower;
fragrant 2 00
Moonbeam. Large white, tufted in the center. Award of Merit, Each
R. H. S
Mr. Manning. Deep glowing crimson. Certificate of Merit, R. B. S. 1 00 Mrs. George Bunyard. A very large double flower; bright rose,
sweetly scented; extra good
Olivia. A lovely flower with broad white guard petals and a sul-
phur-colored center
Paderewski. Bright pink; very sweet-smelling. First-class Certificate, R. B. S
Prince George. Fine purple. First-class Certificate, R. B. S 2 00
Prince of Wales. Soft lilac-rose; very large flower. First-class
Certificate, R. B. S
Merit, R. H. S
Sir T. J. Lipton. Large flower, with golden stamens appearing
in the center of bright rosy crimson petals. "A huge double,
bright rosy carmine flower of great merit." - Gardening World.



PEONY TENUIFOLIA (See page 15)

#### SINGLE PEONIES

Amiable. Cherry-rose, large flower. First-class Certificate, E	ach
R. B. S	. 50
Anemonæflora alba. Ivory-white, cream center 1	50
Argus. Bright rose 1	. 00
Bacchus. Deep crimson 1	50
Fairy. Rosy white 1	50
Pride. Rich crimson; a most striking flower 2	00
The Czar. Deep purple-crimson 1	00
Jura. White, margined rose 1	25
Queen of May. French white 1	00

#### PEONY CLUMPS



GERMAN IRIS

## **GERMAN IRIS**

In the Iris family the German varieties rank second in importance, the magnificent Japanese Iris being first, of course. They bloom profusely early in May, are of the greatest hardiness and easiest culture and should be freely planted in every garden. These Irises are the "Flags" of the old-fashioned gardens. They are most effective when used as edging for a shrubbery or garden border. There are no pure white varieties

Named Varieties. 15 cts. each, \$1.25 per doz,, \$8 per 100, unless otherwise noted.

Mixed Varieties. 10 cts. each, 75 cts. per doz., \$5 per 100.

Canary Bird. Pale yellow; lovely. Florentina. Silvery white; early.

Honorable. Yellow; falls brownish maroon.

Madam Chereau. Pearly white, daintly edged with lavender; one of the best.

Silver King. Silvery white; lovely. Viscount de Brabant. Falls dark purple, standards light purple.

Dalmatica. Delicate lavender.

Parkmani. Falls purple and white, standards pale yellow.

**Λivares.** Deep maroon-purple and light purple.

Fragrans. Lovely white, edged with violet.

Dalmatica "Khedive." Pale blue. Queen of the Gypsies. Standards bronze, falls light purple.

La Tendre. Standards light lavender, falls bluish purple.

## JAPANESE IRIS

Some years ago a set of Japanese Iris (I. Kæmpferi) were sent to us from Japan to test, which were said to be identical with the collection in the Royal Gardens. We cannot vouch for this statement, as we have never been in Japan, but we have never seen another collection in America or Europe that would equal it in any way. The collection contained many colors and varieties we had never seen before, and the flowers were of remarkable size and beauty. When these Irises were in bloom they excited the greatest admiration and enthusiasm, and it was hard to convince people that these unique and exquisitely beautiful flowers were as hardy as apple trees, and as easily grown as potatoes. They will thrive in any good garden soil but if the soil is made very rich and deep, and flooded with water for a month before and during their blooming season, they will produce flowers of a wonderful size, sometimes 10 to 12 inches across. These Irises should be planted in full exposure to the sun. As the Japanese names are unintelligible and impossible to remember, we have renamed this collection.

Since the above collection was received we have annually added to it the newest varieties from Japan and new varieties selected from thousand of seedlings grown on our own grounds, until we now have what is unquestionably the finest and most complete collection of Japanese Iris in the world.

#### PRICES OF JAPANESE IRIS

Named Varieties, described below, 35 cts. each, \$3.50 per doz., \$6.50 for 25, \$20 per 100, except where noted. American-grown, fine mixed, \$1.25 per doz., \$6 per 100, \$50 per 1,000.

Alice Kiernan. Single. White, suffused with pale blue; center white, edged blue; extra large and fine; loveliest variety in cultivation.

Allegheny. Double. Pale lavender, striped white; late. \$1.

Amoret. Double. Blue, blotched and mottled with dark blue and reddish plum, yellow bar at base; late.

Angelo. Double. Bluish purple, center of petals white with yellow band at base.

Apollyon. Double. Reddish plum, striped white, base of petals yellow; large and fine. 60 cts.

Aurora. Single. White, freely striped and suffused with magenta. 75 cts.

Bessemer. Double. Bright blue; distinct. 50 cts.

Blue Flag. Double. Indigo-blue, base of petals yellow; the last variety to bloom, \$10 per 100.

Cærulea. Double. Lavender-blue, delicate coloring; large and distinct. 75 cts.

Cygnet. Single. Purple and plum, blotched white. \$1.

Elizabeth. Double. White, sometimes slightly penciled blue.

Esmeralda. Single. Magenta, penciled white, center white.

Fairy Queen. Single. White, base of petals yellow, maroon center.

Gigantea. Double. Bluish purple, lightly striped white; vigorous grower and free bloomer. The earliest-flowering variety in the collection. \$15 per 100.



THE SPRING-TIME GLORY OF THE JAPANESE IRIS IN JAPAN (From The Country Calendar)
All the varieties of this beautiful Iris succeed in American gardens

#### JAPANESE IRIS, continued

Glow. Double. Velvety maroon; large. 50 cts.

Heart of Gold. Double. Extra large white flowers, yellow center.

Hermione, Single. White, maroon center, petals penciled with blue.

Ida. Reddish plum, rich and velvety; narrow yellow band on base of petals. 60 cts.

James R. Mellon. Double. Extra large flower; lilac, striped with purplish blue, purple center; distinct and fine. \$1.

James F. Parker. Double. Rich dark blue, yellow center; large and

John Marron. Double. White, distinctly penciled with blue; blue center, base of petals yellow; late.

John C. Slack. Double. Lilac, heavily blotched with magenta and blue; yellow center; distinct. 75 cts.

Kirk. Very double. Crimson-maroon, rich and velvety, petals striped lightly with white. \$1.

Kitty. Single. White flower, slightly suffuse with pale blue. 75 cts.

Laura, Double. White, penciled dark blue; purple center; late. 50 cts.

Lorna Doone. Double. White, delicately penciled with blue; yellow band at base of petal; blue center.

Mary Anderson. Double. Light blue, blotched with dark blue; yellow spot at base.

Merry Hampton. Single. Reddish plum; base of petals yellow, with broad band of white, 60 cts.

Mikado. Rich glowing purple. Royal in its beauty and effect. 50 cts.

Mont Blanc. Double. Pure white; large and fine. One of the finest of the white varieties.

Moonlight. Double. White flower, with yellow center.

Rich and dainty in effect.

Mrs. James H. Ballantine. Single. Extra large white flower, delicately suffused with pale blue; margin of petals pure white; fine.

Mrs. Henry S. Turner. Double. Reddish purple; center of petals bright blue, with large yellow band; extra strong grower; distinct and showy. 75 cts.

Mrs. D. E. Richardson. Double. Rose, shading to white at margin; center white; very distinct. One of the best of the new sorts. \$1.

Mrs. Frank H. Hiscock. Double. Delicate blush; distinct and lovely. 75 cts.

Mrs. Henry L. Higginson. Single. Bright reddish maroon, center white.

Octavia. Single. White, dark center; petals distinctly netted with blue.

Queen of the Whites. Double. White; vigorous grower.

Romola. Single. Lilac, striped with plum; plum
center.

Rosalind. Double. Light purple, freely striped with white.

Sewickley. Single. Purple, blotched and mottled with white.

Snowdrift. Single. Pure white.

Springdale. Single. Bluish purple, slightly striped white.

Venus. Single. Lilac, freely striped and suffused with

Westmoreland. Double. Light blue, striped and suffused with darker blue.

W. J. Buttfield. Double. Center of petals white, heavily margined with magenta; vigorous grower. \$10 per 100.

Wm. J. Matheson. Double. Reddish plum; base of petals yellow.

Large and fine. \$1.

Wm. Falconer. Double. Rich royal purple: extra fine. 50 cts.

Wm. A. Procter. Double. Dark blue, slightly striped white; yellow

Wm. F. Dreer. Double. White, penciled with lavender.

Yokohama. Double. Reddish purple; base of petals yellow; large and fine: late.



GROUP OF JAPAN IRIS

## NEW HARDY ROSE, FRAU KARL DRUSCHKI

This is the most beautiful of all hardy white Roses, and the freest flowering, continuing in bloom from June until November. Strong budded plants, 40 cts. each, \$4 per doz.

## NEW RAMBLER ROSE, LADY GAY

A seedling of the popular Crimson Rambler, which it closely resembles in habit and vigor of growth, but with flowers of a delicate cherry-pink, fading to a soft-tinted white. The effect of a plant in full bloom, with the combination of the soft white flowers, cherry-pink buds and the deep green of the foliage, is indeed charming. This variety is of American origin, and has been exhibited both here and in England, where it has received much favorable comment. Strong two-year-old plants, 40 cts. each, \$4 per doz.

## New Lilacs on Their Own Roots

Of late years there has been a multitude of new varieties of Lilacs grown and some of them have very great beauty, but, unfortunately, almost all the stock offered, both in this country and Europe, has been budded on privet and is practically worthless, for Lilacs grown on this are certain to die in a few years. Nurserymen bud Lilacs on privet because they can produce a large stock quickly and inexpensively, but one Lilac on its own roots is worth a score of budded plants.

We have arranged with a leading English nursery to supply the varieties described, which are of the best, in good, strong plants on their own roots. For prices of Budded Lilacs, see our general list of Shrubs.

We secured all the available stock of these Lilacs in Europe and have only a limited supply to offer.

Price, except where noted, \$1.50 each, \$15 per doz.

Amethystina. Very dark reddish purple. \$1. Alba grandiflora. Very large, pure white trusses of flowers. \$1.

A. W. Paul. Red, back of flower whitish.

Alphonse Lavaile. Double; large panieles; blue, shaded violet. \$2.



NEW LILAC, MARIE LEGRAYE



NEW LILAC, CHARLES X

Bertha Dammann. Pure white; very large panicles of flowers; fine. \$2Charles X. Large shining leaves and great trusses of reddish purple flowers. 50 cts.

Charles Joly. A superb dark reddish purple variety; double.

Dr. Lindley. Large, compact panicles of purplish lilac flowers; dark red in bud; very fine. \$1.

Emile Lemoine. Double; very large flowers, of fine globular form; rosy lilac; beautiful.

Geant des Batailles. Bright reddish lilae, in large trusses.

Grand duc Constantus. Ashy lilae; double.

La Ville de Troyes. Large, purplish red flowers; fine.

Le Gaulois. Rosy lilac; a very lovely variety.

Lemoinei. Rose, turning to lilac; double.

Leon Simon. Double, compact panicles; flowers bluish crimson.

Madame Lemoine. Superb; double, white.

Madame Kreuter. Beautiful bright rose; single.

Madame F. Morel. Violet-pink; large and fine; single.

Madam Casimir-Perier. Creamy white; lovely double.

Marc Micheli. Clear lilac-blue; double. \$2.

Marie Legraye. Large panicles of white flowers. The best white Lilac.

Michael Buchner. Dwarf plant; very double; color pale lilac.

President Carnot. Double; lilac tint, marked in center with white. \$2. Souvenir de Louis Spæth. Most distinct and beautiful variety; trusses immense; very compact florets, very large; the color is deep purplish red.

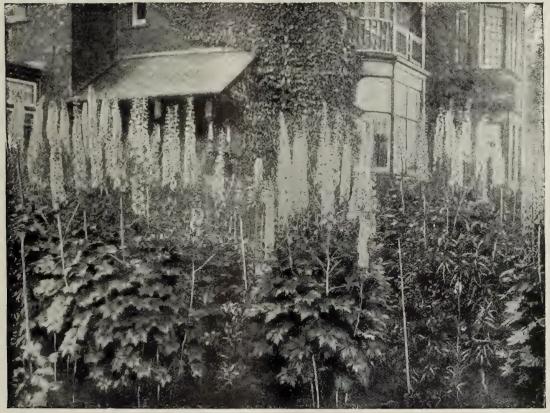
Viviand Morel. Long spikes; light bluish lilac, center white; double. \$2.

## New Irises

Sibirica, Blue King. A new variety from Japan, having large and well-formed flowers of a fine clear blue; free bloomer and equally good for flower border or waterside. 3 ft. high. 20 cts. each, \$2 per doz.

Sibirica, Snow Queen. An exquisite new hardy Iris; flowers of a snowy whiteness, large and well formed, produced in great abundance; foliage light and graceful. A gem for flower border or waterside. 3 feet high. Award of Merit R. H. S., June 24, 1902. 15 cts. each, \$1.50 per doz.

Versicolor, "China Blue." A fine new Iris; flowers of a soft clear lavender-blue with yellow and white spots, standards short and broad; excellent for waterside, and also good for flower border. 2 feet high. 15 cts. each, \$1.50 per doz.



TALL ENGLISH DELPHINIUMS (From photograph)

## TALL ENGLISH DELPHINIUMS

I am tempted to say that the Improved English Delphiniums are the most beautiful hardy plants in cultivation, but I am also tempted to say this of a score of other things, and, of course, it is impossible to say which is the most beautiful of hardy plants, for they have such an immense variety of beauty that the wonder grows that people continue to plant bedding plants by the million which have little or no beauty, are an annual expense, and cost quite as much as hardy plants, whose first cost is their only cost and which increase in size, in beauty, and often in quantity year after year. These Delphiniums may not be the most beautiful hardy plants, but they are among the most beautiful, and nothing can be more distinct and satisfactory. They are stately and picturesque, some varieties growing eight feet high in rich soil; they have immense spikes of most beautiful flowers of every imaginable shade of blue, and their season is a long one; in fact, they will bloom from spring till fall if properly treated. they will bloom from spring till fall if properly treated.

Hitherto it has been impossible to get satisfactory varieties and plants of English Delphiniums; in fact, no nursery in this country has had a satisfactory general stock of hardy plants, and I have had the greatest difficulty in getting the plants specified for my landscape gardening work, as this class of plants is extremely difficult to import. The difficulty became so great and my work was so hampered by the lack of plants to carry it out that I persuaded one of the most capable horticulturists in this country to start a hardy-plant nursery and guaranteed the financial results. It is the intention to make this nursery a model of its kind and grow everything in hardy plants worthy of culture and to send out nothing but well-grown plants packed in the most careful manner. The Delphiniums described on next page are one of

the offerings of this nursery

CULTURE OF DELPHINIUMS.—The culture of Delphiniums is exceedingly simple, and the results out of all proportion to the slight amount of care necessary. They thrive in almost any position, and may be planted at any time of the year, provided that in summer the plants are not too forward, and that they be well-watered if the weather be dry. The soil may be a rich, friable loam, which suits them finely; but any soil, even hot and sandy, if well watered and manured, will give excellent results. Dig deeply—trenching is better—add plenty of well-rotted manure, and plant about 2½ feet apart. Placed in lines, as a background to a border, or in groups of, say, three plants at intervals, the effect of the Delphinium is exceedingly fine. They look well in beds also, arranged at the same distance apart each way. at intervals, the effect of the Delphinium is exceedingly fine. They look well in beds also, arranged at the same distance apart cach way. They are grand grown in masses of large groups of separate colors, and may be associated with shrubs with great advantage, succeeding by their robustness well in shrubberies. A succession of flowers may be expected from spring to early autumn, especially if the spikes which have done flowering early be cut down to the ground; fresh growth will then be produced, which will give blossom. Copious watering in summer will be attended by increased size of spike and flower; in fact, in seasons of prolonged drought water is absolutely a necessity on many soils if the varieties are to exhibit themselves in their true size and beauty of flower and spike. Top-dressing is greatly recommended summer will be attended by increased size of spike and flower; in fact, in seasons of prolonged grought water is absolutely a necessary of many soils if the varieties are to exhibit themselves in their true size and beauty of flower and spike. Top-dressing is greatly recommended on certain soils, instead of the bare surface of the ground being left exposed to the sun. Some of the neater dwarf alpine and other hardy plants may be utilized to plant between and around Delphiniums. Coal ashes strewn over the crowns will protect the plants from slugs through winter and spring. As we have intimated, any garden soil suits the Delphiniums; it is, however, necessary to secure sorts such as through winter and spring. As we have intimated, any garden soil suits the Delphiniums; it is, however, necessary to secure sorts such as are offered below, in order to obtain an effect superior to that afforded by the old smaller-flowered varieties. No amount of liberal treatment will cause the smaller-flowered kinds of a few years back to develop into the gorgeous hybrids of today.

"The Delphiniums were the first thing that attracted my attention, for they were just at their best and there was just about one acre of They made such a sight as I shall not soon forget, so vast was the quantity in bloom, so grand the spikes, and so rich and varied the different shades of blue. Although I have been a grower of these lovely hardy border plants for some twenty years, I was not prepared to see so much improvement in color, and was much struck with the intensity of the shade in many varieties as compared with the old Bella The varieties which have a shade of bronze in the center are also very fine, the contrast between the bronze center and the deep blue exterior being very striking. But the shades of color in many of the newer sorts almost baffle description, and I shall not attempt it. It is in the doubles and semi-doubles that the greatest advancement has been made, and many of them are truly lovely. They are much larger and more compact than the old doubles of the Ranunculoides type, and consequently are much more valuable for ordinary garden adornment.

#### DELPHINIUMS, Continued

light blue flowers with the large white eyes are very striking, and of this section Britannia is, I think, the very best Delphinium I ever saw. phiniums do not receive any special treatment here, being simply planted on a strong loamy soil in an open position. Some few were tied to stakes, but the majority do not require it, being so dwarf in comparison with the old sorts. This dwarfness of habit is a great gain, and the greater portion of the plants were not more than 4 to 5 feet high, yet carrying immense spikes of large bloom.

#### SPECIAL OFFER OF IMPROVED ENGLISH DELPHINIUMS

I want every one who receives this price-list to try these improved English Delphiniums, and to that end offer them at extremely low prices. I guarantee that they will give unqualified satisfaction in every instance and will be a revelation of beauty to most people.

		doz	. 1	00
Fine Mixed English, grown from seed of Kelway's famous named				
sorts	\$1	50	\$10	00
English, in separate colors, grown from Kelway's newest named				
sorts	2	00	13	0.0
Selected Varieties, selected from thousands of seedlings grown				
from Kelway's choicest named sorts	3	00	20	00
Extra Selected Varietieseach, 50 cts	5			
White Varietieseach, \$1.50				

#### Delphinium formosum

In the perennial Delphiniums or Larkspurs we have one of the most beautiful and useful families in hardy plants. The old Delphinium formosum is one of the few hardy plants which has been pretty generally offered by the plant trade; yet is comparatively unknown, although few things can be planted that will give more satisfaction, whether the object is decorative effect in the garden or flowers for cutting for the house. Messrs. J. H. Small & Sons, the leading or flowers for cutting for the house. Messrs, 9, 11 Shall be solved for the house of New York and Washington, have made quite a hit with it as a novelty in cut-flowers. The flowers are intense deep blue, perhaps the most brilliant blue to be found in flowers freely produced in long spikes. It blooms to be found in flowers freely produced in long spikes. in June and July and continues for a long time in bloom, and if the plants are cut back after flowering will bloom a second time in the fall. Plants grow to 4 or 5 feet high, and if planted in masses about two feet apart will produce a splendid effect. 15 cts. each, \$1.25 per doz., \$8 per 100.

#### Delphinium formosum coelestinum

This rare and scarce Delphinium has all the good qualities of the wellknown Formosum, but instead of dark blue flowers produces great spikes of exquisite light blue bloom, the loveliest shade of blue in the floral world. have always treasured this Delphinium in my garden, but could never get enough stock of it to offer. This season I have secured a few thousand plants, which I can offer at a reasonable price. 20 cts. each, \$2 per doz., \$12 per 100.



SPECIMEN PLANT OF IMPROVED ENGLISH DELPHINIUMS

## HARDY PERENNIAL PHLOXES

The beauty and usefulness of these grand border plants give to them a deservedly first place among hardy plants. For cutting, their large trusses go a long way in floral decoration. In color they range from pure white to the richest crimson and purple, and from soft rose and salmon to bright coral-red, all having a delicate fragrance. Perennial Phloxes succeed in almost any soil enriched with manure, but are much benefited by a mulching of decomposed manure in spring, and in hot weather an occasional soaking of water. If the first spikes of bloom are removed as soon as over and the plant given a good soaking of water, they will produce a second supply of flowers, thus continuing the display until late autumn. These later blooms are often finer than the first.

The following list includes a selection made by us in France, Germany, Holland and England during the last summer, as well as all of the very best of the new and the old varieties.

#### Field-grown plants ready for fall delivery, except where noted, 15 cts. each, \$1.50 per doz., \$10 per 100

A. G. McKimmon. Early-flowering; purplish lilac; large truss.

Andreas Hoffer. A fine early-flowering pure white. 20 cts.

Adonis. China-rose, large carmine eye.

Albion. Strong, vigorous grower; large panicles of pure white flowers with faint red eve.

Athis. Tall, salmon; the tallest-growing of all Phloxes.

Aquilon. Carmine-rose, shaded rose, crimson eye.

Astier Rehu. Deep purplish crimson.

Albatre. Large white flower of great substance; fine truss.

Avalanche. Large, pure white, noble truss; very fine. 25 cts.

Beranger. Rosy white, suffused gray; very delicate shade; lovely.

Boule de Feu. Bright rosy red, dark center.

Bournouf. Brilliant red.

Bouquet Fleur. White, pink center.

Bicolor. Leaves edged white.

Bridesmaid. Pure white, with large crimson center.

Champs-Elysees. Fine rich purplish crimson.

Coquelicot. Orange-scarlet, center purple; magnificent color for bedding. The most brilliant Phlox yet produced.

Comet. Rich dark crimson: the richest colored of all Phloxes. 15 cts. Hassock. Searlet.

Cyclon. White, suffused with rosy lilac; star shaped, dark rose eye; very dwarf.

Captain Wilhelmy. Large trusses of ruby flowers, with red center. Charlotte Saison.

Duqueslin. Deep rose, edge lilac.

Eclaireur. Bright purplish rose, light center; enormous flowers.

Embrasement. Salmon-scarlet; extra fine. 20 cts.

Etna. Scarlet, with dark crimson eye.

Eugene Danzanvilliers. Light lilac, large white eye; immense trusses.

Edmond Rostand. Enormous trusses of flowers of rosy violet, large, well-defined white eye. 25 cts.

Ernest Benary. Pure white.

Forerunner. Early flowering; white, suffused with rosy purple.

Ferdinand Cortez. Bronzy copper; distinct and fine.

F. G. Van Lassburg. The best pure white Phlox in cultivation. 25c.

Fiancee. The best white; enormous pyramidal spike. 35 cts.

Frau Ilona Von Barczay-Waldeck. Pure snow-white; very large.

Frau S. Buchner. Salmon-pink; large and fine.



EFFECTIVE PLANTING OF HARDY PHLOX

HARDY PERENNIAL PHLOXES, continued

Henri Murger. Purest white, with deep rose center; large, handsome truss; 13/4 feet high. 15 cts

H. O. Niger. Pure white; large crimson eye. Independence. Fine vigorous dwarf white.

Jocelyn. Fiery orange. 25 cts. Kossuth. Rose, center maroon.

Jeanne d'Arc. A late-flowering pure white.

La Vague. Rosy pink, with red eye.

Lamartine. Purple, large white center.
Liberte. Lovely soft cerise-salmon; large, branching spikes; extra fine. 20 cts.

La Neige. Pure white.

White, striped light magenta, early-Lady Musgrave.

Lothair. Crimson. Le Mahdi. Steel-blue, very intense color. An award of merit for this variety, August, 1899. Le Siecle. Rose, white eye; distinct.

Le Soleil. Lovely soft rose-pink, with white center; a charming color; extra fine; 2 feet high.

Marquise de Breteuil. Bright pink, light center; fine; 1½

feet high.

Matador. Orange-scarlet; cherry-red eye.

Miss Lingard. The best Phlox in cultivation. It produces immense heads of beautiful white flowers in June, and blooms again in September and October. Splendid foliage and habit, and free from attacks of red spider.

Miss Cook. White, pink eye; early.

Moliere. Salmon-rose, with deep rose eye.

Mrs. Jenkins. Early-flowering white; immense panicles.
Mrs. Miller. Early-flowering; lovely purplish rose.

Mrs. Dunbar. White, with purplish rose eye.

Michael Cervantes. Salmon-rose, with deep rose eye.

Maculata. Bright rosy purple; splendid for naturalizing; will grow in tall grass of meadows or orchards and requires no attention after planting. \$7 per 100, \$60 per 1,000.

N. Smith. Dark crimson. Obergartner Wetteg. Light rose; center lighter; red eye.

Otto Thalackor. Rosy crimson; dwarf.

Pecheur d'Island. Pure white. Pacha. Deep rose, with brighter eye.



PERENNIAL PHLOXES

PHLOX, MISS LINGARD AND INDEPENDENCE

Peach Blossom. Delicate pink, with white markings. Pearl. Pure white; very late.
Pantheon. Salmon-rose; a splendid variety. Professor Schlieman. Salmon-rose, with carmine eye.

R. P. Struthers. Brilliant rosy red, with crimson eye.

Regulus. Rose-salmon, with lighter center; large flower; grand habit; extra fine.

Richard Wallace. White, pink eye. Robt. Werner. White, pink eye.

Schlossgartner Reichenauer. Pure white.

Splendens. Brilliant glowing crimson; flower small, but color rich; 2½ feet high.

Sunshine. Salmon-pink, lovely.

Substitute: Sainton-pink, to carry.

Snowflake. Pure white.

Thos. G. Clover. White, with carmine eye.

Van Hochberg. The ideal crimson Phlox. Splendid rich deep color. 25 cts.

Van Goethe. Rich salmon-rose; best of its color. 25 cts.

Zouave. Scarlet.

#### NEW PHLOXES

The following Phloxes were raised on our own grounds, and we can commend them as being distinct and fine. Fieldgrown plants ready for fall delivery,

#### 15 cts. each, \$1.50 peridoz.

DANSKE DANDRIDGE. Light purple, large, star-shaped white center, sometimes mottled purple and white. Distinct and lovely variety

CHESWICK. Salmon, bright crimson center.

SPRINGDALE. Deep pink, dark center; fine.

MARGARET ELLIOTT. White, red center; extra large

ROSALIE. White, blush center; delicate and distinct.

DEFIANCE. Bright deep red, almost as bright as Coquelicot and of much better habit.

MARGARET SLACK. Bright pink, red center; dwarf and bushy; loose panicles; very free-flowering.

## Stenanthium Robustum

(Mountain Feather Fleece)

This remarkably hardy perennial is, without doubt, one of our best new introductions, and may be classed with the showiest of all herbaceous plants. As the buds begin to unfold, they are quite upright, and of a light green tinge, gradually becoming

whiter until at last they burst forth into a veritable snowbank of drooping, fleecy bloom of the purest white, the panicles often 2 to 3 feet long. After several weeks, the flowers, as they ripen, turn to shades of pink and purple. It is a vigorous perennial, attaining a height of from 5 to 8 feet, and is absolutely hardy throughout the United States and Canada.

The Mountain Feather Fleece is of easy cultivation, but takes some time to become well established, and, if given plenty of food, makes a wonderful show equaled by few plants of any description. It prefers a moist and partially shaded position. The illustration gives some idea of the wonderful effect of a large mass of Stenanthiums when in full bloom, but inadequately conveys the beauty of the delicate, feathered, drooping flowers. Strong plants, 25 ets. each, \$2.50 per doz, \$18 per 100.

#### Malva Moschata

This lovely Mallow blooms profusely in June and July, and grows 18 to 24 inches high. The flowers are rose-colored; 2 inches across. 15 cts. each, \$1.50 per doz.

### New Early Phlox, Arthur B. Starr

This splendid new variety is a seedling of that grand old sort, Miss Lingard, and appears to have all its good qualities. Vigorous habit, free-flowering and splendid foliage. The color is a beautiful rich purple something like the late variety Le Mahdi, 15 cts, each, \$1.50 per doz.

#### MIXED PHLOXES

Mixed in good named varieties, of which labels have been lost. \$1 per doz., \$6 per 100.

#### Phlox Carolina

A very desirable native Phlox, growing about 12 inches high. Bright pink flowers in May and June. 15 cts. each, \$1.50 per doz.

## Polemonium Reptans

(Jacob's Ladder)

Useful border plants about 12 inches high, with deep green, finely cut foliage and spikes of showy blue flowers in May and June; of graceful growth. 15 cts. each, \$1.50 per doz.

## Spiræa Filapendula

A plant of decided merit growing 2 to  $2\frac{1}{2}$  feet high, with fern-like foliage, with loose clusters of white flowers; blooms end of May. 15 ets. each, \$1.50 per doz.

## Saponaria Officinalis fl. pl.

Beautiful plant, growing about 2 feet high and blooming in August; large double flowers of a lovely soft rose-pink. 20 cts. each, \$2 per doz.



STENANTHIUM ROBUSTUM

## Tunica Saxifraga

A pretty tufted plant with light pink flowers, produced all summer; useful either for the rockery or the border. 15 cts. each, \$1.50 per doz.

#### Clematis Paniculata

This handsome hardy climber is one of the choicest and most satisfactory climbing flowering plants we know. The plant is of strong, rapid growth, with small, dense, cheerful green foliage, giving it a grace and elegance possessed by no other hardy climber, and, even did it not flower at all, it would be one of the most desirable vines. The flowers appear in the greatest profusion during August, and continue until late in the fall, are of white color and most deliciously fragrant. 2 year-old, 20 cts. each, \$2 per doz., \$14 per 100; 3-year-old, extra strong, 30 cts. each, \$3 per doz., \$18 per 100; 4-year-old, extra strong, 35 cts. each, \$3.50 per doz., \$24 per 100.



BELLIS PERENNIS NATURALIZED ON THE BANK OF A POND

## Plants Suitable for Naturalizing

The most delightful and least troublesome form of gardening is the planting of Litable hardy plants and bulbs in the rougher parts of the grounds and allowing them to take care of themselves exactly the same as the wild flowers. Many plants are perfectly at home in the grass; of course we do not mean the grass of a lawn which must be mown, but the grass of meadows and orchards, along streams and ponds and on the edges of woods and wild shrubbery. We give a few suitable varieties below but there are scores of others, and we shall be glad to send a list of these when desired.

- **BELLIS** perennis (Double English Daisy). Our illustration shows how charming this popular little flower is when naturalized. It can even be grown on the lawn, as it accommodates itself to the lawn-mower. White and pink varieties. 50 cts. per doz., \$3.50 per 100.
- **ASTER Novæ-Angliæ rubra.** Everybody knows the wild Asters which make such beautiful pictures along the roadside in the fall, but this splendid large-flowered variety does not grow wild throughout the country. Either for naturalizing, for the garden or for planting among shrubbery, there is no finer fall-flowering plant. \$1.50 per doz., \$8 per 100.
- **AQUILEGIA Canadensis.** This beautiful native Columbine grows wild in many parts of the country. There is no finer subject for naturalizing. It is perfectly at home on a rocky bank or in the grass. \$1.50 per doz., \$10 per 100.
- Cærulea (True). This charming blue and white Columbine is one of the loveliest of garden plants and just as desirable for naturalizing. \$1.75 per doz., \$12 per 100.
- Chrysantha. A bright yellow Columbine that is in bloom for two months. Used with A. carulea, blue, and A. Canadensis, red, a most charming picture can be made. \$1.50 per doz., \$8 per 100.
- HARDY ENGLISH PRIMROSE. One of the loveliest sights in all England are the hardy Primroses in bloom in orchard and meadows in early spring. In many places the ground is carneted with their lovely canary-yellow flowers, which are delightfully fragrant. They are equally hardy here, and nothing can be more delightful either for naturalizing in orchard, meadow along a brook, or planting in borders or along the edge of a shrubbery border. 10 cts. each, \$1 per doz., \$5 per 100.
- coronitla varia. One of the prettiest floral pictures we have ever seen was a great mass of this in one of the meadows of Franklin Park, Boston. It completely covered the ground and had piled itself up in a pleasing tangled mass of green foliage and white and pink bloom. \$1.25 per doz.
- HELIANTHUS, or HARDY SINFLOWERS. All varieties of Hardy Sunflowers are fine for naturalizing, and where the selection of varieties is left to us we will furnish them at the following low prices. \$1 per doz., \$6 per 100, \$50 per 1,000.



ASTER NOVÆ-ANGLIÆ RUBRA



WALLED GARDEN OF HARDY PLANTS (From English "Country Life")

## SOME NOTABLE HARDY PLANTS

Elsewhere will be found a very complete list of hardy plants, but the following varieties are especially desirable, and I am in a posttion to furnish them in quantity at very low prices.

## AQUILEGIAS

All of the single long-spurred Aquilegias, or Columbines, are extremely beautiful, and a collection of them should be a feature in every garden. Foremost among these choice plants are our native Aquilegias. If these and other choice hardy plants were as well known as bedding plants, the day of geraniums, coleus and other commonplace plants would soon be over. The flowers of these Aquilegias are most lovely and delicate, ranging from white to crimson, including shades of blue and yellow. The exquisite Rocky Mountain Columbine, Aquilegia carulea, is one of the loveliest flowers in cultivation; and it and Aquilegia Canadensis, which grows wild so plentifully in many localities, are both fine for naturalizing and will thrive if planted in the grass of meadows and allowed to take care of themselves. That they are also fine for the formal garden is shown by our illustration. Assorted varieties, 15 cts. each, \$1.25 per doz., \$9 per 100. For complete list of varieties, see general list of hardy plants.

#### ARMERIA (Thrift)

Attractive dwarf plants that will succeed in any soil, forming evergreen tufts of bright green foliage, from which innumerable flowers appear in dense heads, on stiff, wiry stems about 9 inches high. They flower more or less continuously from early spring until late in the fall. Very effective in the rockery and indispensable in the border.

Formosa, Pink.

Cephalotus. Bright rosy pink flowers.

15 cts. each, \$1.50 per doz., \$10 per 100

#### ARABIS (Rock-Cress)

Alpina. One of the most desirable of the very early spring-flowering plants that is especially adapted for the rock-garden, but which succeeds equally well in the border, where it forms a dense carpet, which is completely covered early in the season with pure white flowers.

Alpina compacta nana. A distinct and pretty dwarf form of the above.

15 cts. each, \$1.50 per doz.

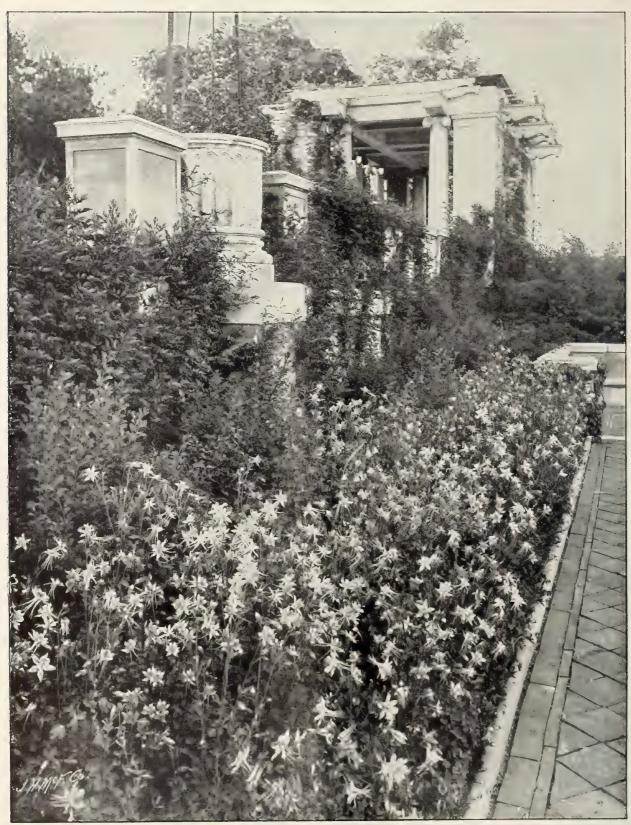
#### ACTÆA JAPONICA (Japanese Baneberry)

A Japanese introduction, producing dense spikes, 30 inches high, of white flowers, which bloom in September, lasting well through October, a time when flowers of all kind are scarce in the garden. Its graceful spikes are fine for cutting. It is perfectly hardy. 40 cts. each, \$4 per doz.

#### STOKESIA CYANEA

(The Cornflower, or Stokes' Aster)

A most charming and beautiful native hardy plant, which for the past few seasons has been the most admired flower on our grounds. The plant grows from 18 to 24 inches high, bearing freely, from early in July until late in October, its handsome lavender-blue centaurealike blossoms, which measure from 4 to 5 inches across. It is of the easiest culture, succeeding in any open, sunny position, and not only is it desirable as a single plant in the hardy border, but it can also be used with fine effect in masses or beds of any size. 15 cts. each, \$1.50 per doz., \$8 per 100.



AN EFFECTIVE PLANTING OF AQUILEGIAS



POMPONE CHRYSANTHEMUMS

#### Rare Varieties of HARDY ASTERS

These are among the showiest of late-flowering hardy plants, giving a wealth of bloom when most other hardy plants are past. The following varieties are distinct and fine:

Novæ-Angliæ, Wm. Bowman. Large, rich, rosy purple flowers, with a deep golden bronze disk; very showy. 15 cts. each, \$1.50 per dcz. Novi-Belgii, Robert Parker. Long sprays of beautiful large talavender-blue flowers, with yellow center. Extra fine. Helght 5 feet.

15 cts. each, \$1 50 per doz., \$8 per 100. Novæ-Angliæ rubra. This grand old New England Aster is really one of the best late-flowering plants in cultivation. It is fine for garden, shrubbery or naturalizing, and is literally covered with showy purplish red flowers in the fall 15 cts. cach \$150 per 400.

15 cts. each. \$1.50 per doz., \$8 per 100. Novi-Belgii, Ella. Large, delicate mauve flowers, with golden center; profuse bloomer; extra fine. 25 cts. each, \$2.50 per doz.

Novi-Belgii, Esme. Large, pure white flowers, produced in masses; fine bushy habit. 1½ feet high. 25 cts. each, \$2.50 per doz.

Novi-Belgii, Captivation. Pretty shade of rose-pink. A gem for cutting. 25 cts. each. \$2 50 per doz

each, \$2.50 per doz.

Novi-Belgii, D. B. Crane. Panicles of large flowers of a rich mauve shade shot with rose; very handsome, dwarf and early. 15 cts. each, \$1.50 per doz.

William Marshall. Large, handsome flow-

William Marshall. Large, handsome flowers, exquisite clear mauve; vigorous grower. One of the best in this section. 25 cts. each, \$2.50 per doz.

Many people confuse these hardy Asters with the annual Asters, so much used by florists for cut-flowers. They are entirely different, and, in our opinion, more beautiful and useful.

## BLACKBERRY LILY

(Pardanthus Sinensis)

Lily-like flowers of a bright orange color spotted with red, which are succeeded by seeds that resemble blackberries. Very showy and desirable. 15 cts. each, \$1.50 per doz.

#### CHRYSANTHEMUM LATIFOLIUM

We have at last succeeded in getting a stock of the true variety of this most beautiful of all the Single Daisies. It is one of the most satisfactory hardy plants for the garden or border, and produces its large, beautiful single white flowers in the greatest profusion. It should be included in every collection of hardy plants. 15 cts. each, \$1.50 per doz., \$10 per 100.

SHASTA DAISY. This new California Daisy has been introduced

This new California Daisy has been introduced with a great hurrah, and may be all that is claimed for it, but, so far, in our garden, does not appear to be so good as Chrysanthemum latifolium, which it resembles. However, there is a large demand for it and it is our business to

per doz.

PRINCESS HENRY. This has larger flowers than C. latifolium, and really is an improvement. 20c. each, \$2 per doz.

supply the demand. 15 cts. each, \$1.50

## POMPONE CHRYSANTHEMUMS

These are the small-flowered Chrysanthemums of the old-fashioned gardens, and bloom in October and November after almost all flowers are gone. They are showy in the garden and effective as cutflowers, and, being perfectly hardy and of easiest culture, can be successfully grown in any garden. We offer a fine collection of the best varieties, ranging from white to deep crimson. 15 cts. each, \$1.50 per doz., \$10 per 100.

## LARGE-FLOWERED CHRYSANTHEMUMS

I have collected from farm gardens some of the old-fashioned Chrysanthemums which are really hardy and which bloom in October and November, after all other outdoor flowers are gone. Often in bloom when the snow is on the ground; old, established beds are very showy. 3 to 4 feet high. When in bloom are a perfect mass of flowers. I offer three large-flowered varieties—White, Pink and Yelllow. 15 cts. each. \$1.50 per doz., \$10 per 100.



CHRYSANTHEMUM LATIFOLIUM



HARDY CHRYSANTHEMUMS (See page 29)

#### PHYSOSTEGIA VIRGINICA ALBA

An American plant, and by no means a new one; yet it is a flower so unique in its make-up that it stands apart from all others and For massing, planting in association with other appropriate varieties in the border, for planting with shrubbery or for cut-bloom, it is unrivaled. In value it is not equaled by the popular Golden Glow; and it possesses a constitution just as rugged. Its large, graceful spikes of white flowers are produced in greatest profusion from about the middle of June, and if kept cut (so as not to produce seed) it continues to flower in a perfect mass of bloom until frost. The flowers themselves are intenesly interesting and attractive, resembling large heather. The stems are long, square, thick, rigid and strong, holding the flowers in a dignified and stately manner when upon the plant and when cut. The plants form large, dense clumps, 3 or 4 feet high, and require no petting, succeeding on all kinds of soil and in all situations. 15 cts. each, \$1.25 per doz., \$8 per 100.

#### POLYANTHUS, or COWSLIP

This charming spring-blooming plant belongs to the Primrose family, the hardy varieties of which are so very popular in England, but are rarely seen in this country, owing partly to an impression that they cannot be grown in this climate. This is a mistake, as they do very well here. For the front of borders and shrubbery, for spring bedding, and for naturalizing in moist and partly shaded places, nothing can be finer. The coloring in the flowers is especially rich and fine. At this writing we have a long border of these plants in bloom in our garden, and nothing gives us greater pleasure. They are so charming in habit, rich and varied in coloring, and so early to bloom, coming with the spring-flowering bulbs, that nothing can be more acceptable. We use them freely for decorating the dining-table and library windows, taking plants up from the border and putting them in fern-dishes and pots, where they go on blooming as if they had never been disturbed. Their hardiness has been pretty well settled by the severe winter of 1898 and 1899. The minimum temperature at our country place was 24 degrees below zero. Not a single polyanthus was injured, and they were planted in wet soil at that. Large-flowered White. An improved variety, with very large flowers; very fine. 20 cts. each, \$1.50 per doz.

#### PHLOX DIVARICATA CANADENSIS

One of our native varieties that is but rarely met with, and which has been introduced into Europe the past few years as a novelty. plant that is certain to meet with much favor when better known, as nothing can produce such a cheerful corner in the garden in very early spring. Frequently beginning to bloom early in April, it continues until about the middle of June, with large bright lilac-colored flowers, which are produced on stems about 10 inches high, in large, showy heads, and are very fragrant. Extremely fine for naturalizing in the woods and shady places. Although this Phlox is usually found growing wild in shady places, it will do better if it is planted where it has fall exposure to the sun and will bloom more freely. 10 cts. each, \$1 per doz., \$6 per 100.

#### HARDY PRIMROSES

Primula Cashmeriana. A rare and beautiful Primrose with rich violet-purple flowers. 20 cts. each, \$2 per doz.
Primula Japonica. Showy; perfectly hardy; colors ranging from pure white to rich purplish crimson. 15 cts. each, \$1.50 per doz.



PHLOX DIVARICATA CANADENSIS



DIANTHUS BARBATUS

#### DIANTHUS BARBATUS (Sweet William)

That old-fashioned favorite, the Sweet William, has almost disappeared from our gardens; more's the pity, for its place has been taken by plants of far less beauty. The Sweet William is a fine old plant which produces great masses of bloom of extremely rich and varied colors. The flowers are very lasting and fine for cutting. The plants offered are grown from the finest strains to be obtained in England, where hardy plants are universally grown and where new and improved varieties are constantly being produced. Fine large plants, 15 cts. each, \$1.25 per doz., \$8 per 100.

### EPIMEDIUM (Barrenwort)

A genus of dwarf-growing plants with leathery foliage and panicles of lovely white, yellow and lilac-colored flowers. The foliage of all the varieties offered below assumes the most beautiful tints of color in autumn.

Lilacea. Beautiful lilac. Muschianum. Creamy white.

Niveum. Pure white. Sulphureum. Light yellow.

Any of the above four varieties 25 cts. each, \$2.50 per doz.

### FOXGLOVE (Digitalis)

In England the Foxglove grows wild, but, notwithstanding this, in is a great garden favorite, as it well deserves to be. For stately and picturesque beauty it is not to be surpassed, and, planted in masses in the garden among shrubs or naturalized on the edge of woods, in the orchard or along brooks, it is extremely effective and satisfactory. Strictly speaking, it is a biennial, but, as it renews itself from self sown seed, it may be treated as a perennial. Mr. Falconer has naturalized thousands of Foxgloves in Schenley Park, and nothing he has planted thousands of Foxgloves in Schenley Fark, and nothing he has planted attracts more attention and admiration. Planted in the fall Foxgloves will bloom well the following season. I offer a fine lot of strong plants, grown from the best strains obtainable in Europe 15 cts. each, \$1.25 per doz., \$8 per 100.

#### GEUM (Avens)

Pretty border plants, growing about 18 inches high, and producing brilliant, showy, bright-colored flowers during the greater part of the summer and fall.

ATROSANGUINEUM. Large, dark crimson flowers. COCCINEUM. Showy scarlet flowers.

15 cts. each, \$1.50 per doz.

#### IMPROVED GAILLARDIAS

We consider the Gaillardia one of the most beautiful and desirable hardy plants in cultivation, and have had a large stock of Kelway's famous strain grown for our customers. We offer these plants for less than they have ever been sold for, either in this country or Europe. Though such an ornamental addition to the herbaceous border, the perennial Gaillardia is content with extremely simple treatment. Dig the soil deeply and enrich with well-rotted manure. We recommend the Gaillardia for bedding purposes as well as for borders. Give a moderate amount of room and peg down, and a grand effect is to be obtained. Every one will have noticed how grandly Gaillardias have thriven through the recent drought; they seem hardly to need water, but we recommend watering liberally to insure the finest flowers. The Gaillardia which Kelway & Son have been so successful in im-The Gallardia which Relway & Son have been so successful in improving and popularizing is, of course, simply invaluable as a cut-flower, on account of its being so lasting when gathered and so brilliant and beautiful. The gay blossoms are obtainable in perpetual profusion from June to Novemter, and the greater the drought and scarcity of other flowers the more the utility of the perennial Gaillardia is demonstrated. No more brilliant and beautiful sight can be lardia is demonstrated. No more orilliant and beautiful signt can be imagined than a large bed of Gaillardias, with their profusion of highly colored flowers of all shades. Some of the varieties of this improved strain measure fully 5 inches in diameter. Mr. Robinson, in the English Flower Garden, recommends that they should be planted in bold groups, and remarks that no plants have finer effect in a bed by themselves, and we quite agree with him. Extra strong, in a bed by themselves, and we dulte agree with him. Late stressing fine plants, in a splendid assortment of colors, which will be sure to give complete satisfaction. 15 cts. cach, \$1.25 per doz., \$7 per 100.

### HARDY FERNS

Varieties marked \* require shade: those marked † succeed in open border.

\*Adiantum pedatum (Maidenhair Fern).

\*Aspidium acrostichoides (Wood Fern).

marginale.

Goldianum (Shield Fern). †Asplenium ebeneum (Ebony Fern).

Filix-fæmina (Lady Fern).

Thelpyteris.

6.6 Trichomanes (Spleenwort).

†Dicksonia punctilobula (Gossamer Fern).

†Nephronium Filix-mas (Male Fern). †Onoclea sensibilis (Sensitive Fern).

Struthiopteris (Ostrich Fern).

+Osmunda gracilis (Flowering Fern).

Claytoniana (Flowering Fern). Cinnamomea (Cinnamon Fern).

† " regalis (Royal Fern).
\*Phegopteris Dryopteris (Beech Fern).

hexagonopterum (Beech

Fern).

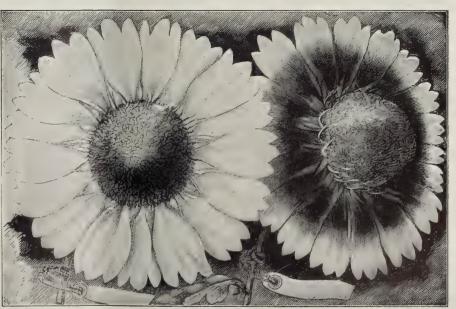
†Polypodium falcatum.

Pteris aquilina.

\*Woodsia obtusa.

\*Woodwardia angustifolia (Chain Fern).
† "Virginica.

Any of the above Ferns, 15 cts. each, \$1.50 per doz., \$10 per 100



IMPROVED GAILLARDIAS

#### **HELIANTHUS**

Lætiflorus. The best of the summer-blooming varieties of hardy Sunflowers; flowers 3 inches in diameter and freely produced. Plant grows 3 to 4 feet high and spreads rapidly. Fine for cutting, for the border, and for planting among shrubs. 15 cts. each, \$1.25 per doz., \$7 per 100.

H. G. Moon. New. A grand seedling variety with abundance of large rich golden yellow flowers, rising well above the foliage, extra fine. Height 4 feet. August and September. Award of merit R.H.S. 15 cts. each, \$1.50 per doz.

Miss Mellish. An improved variety of *Helianthus lætiflorus*; of taller growth and having larger flowers. A decided improvement and most beautiful sort. 15 cts. each, \$1.50 per doz.

#### HELIOPSIS PITCHERIANUS

A desirable hardy herbaceous plant, growing from 2 to 3 feet high, and a perpetual bloomer, beginning to flower early in the season, and continuing in bloom the entire summer. The flowers are of a beautiful deep golden yellow color, about 2 inches in diameter, of very thick texture, and are very graceful for cutting. 15 cts. each, \$1.25 per doz., \$8 per 100.

#### HIBISCUS MOSCHEUTOS

We wish to call attention to this extremely showy and satisfactory plant. It thrives in any garden soil, and is equally desirable as a garden plant or naturalized along the edges of brooks and ponds, or planted among shrubs. The plant grows 4 or 5 feet high, is very bushy, and in August and September is covered with immense single flowers 6 to 8 inches across, from pure white to deep rose in color.

In separate colors. White, blush pink and deep rose. 15 cts. each, \$1.50 per doz., \$10 per 100.

Mixed Colors. Strong plants at a specially low price. \$1 per doz., \$6 per 100.



. GROUP OF HARDY PLANTS AT COLUMBIAN EXPOSITION
Chryvanthenium latifolium, Liatris pycnostachya and Helianthus grandiflorus mollis

#### FESTUCA GLAUCA

A dwarf grass with very distinct blue foliage. Does not grow over 8 or 10 inches high, and is very effective. 25 cts. each, \$2.50 per doz.

#### HOLLYHOCKS

Have you ever noticed that painters choose single Hollyhocks as subjects for floral paintings oftener than any other flower? We suppose the reason for this is that artists have a keener appreciation of beauty than other people, and recognize that the common, and we fear sometimes despised, single Hollyhock is one of the most stately, picturesque and beautiful plants in the world. Nothing can be more effective than a large group or mass of single Hollyhocks, and once planted they will literally take care of themselves, even if planted in the grass. We know of patches that have not been cultivated or disturbed in any way for twenty years. Notwithstanding their great beauty and usefulness, single Hollyhocks are not offered for sale by any nurseryman in America, and the seed is not to be had from any seedsman. We are determined to have single Hollyhocks for our landscape gardening work, so we collected seed from old-fashioned (they will soon be new-fashioned) gardens and had thousands of plants grown for our customers. Some people think double Hollyhocks are more beautiful than single. They are mistaken, although the doubles are beautiful, but inclined to be top-heavy, often need staking and are liable to disease. Hollyhocks planted in the fall will bloom well the following summer.



SPECIAL OFF ER OF HOLE HOUSE	_			
Each	Per	doz	. 1	.00
Best Large-flowered, Single, all colors mixed	\$1	25	\$8	00
Best Large-flowered, Single, and Semi-Double.	1	50	9	00
Best Large-flowered, Double, mixed colors	1	25	8	00
Chater's Famous Strain. Best double grown.				
In separate colors: White, sulphur-yellow,				
scarlet, rose, Isabel-color, salmon-rose, crim-				
son-yellow, golden yellow, dark crimson, cherry-red and peach	1	50	10	00
New Allegheny. Immense semi-double flowers,				
with fringed edges; very beautiful\$0 15	1	50	10	00

Our Hollyhocks are free from disease, and to ensure this we are having them grown in Ohio in soil which is entirely free from the Jollyhock disease.



SINGLE HOLLYHOCKS

#### TWO USEFUL IRISES

TECTORUM. This is a beautiful white Iris, resembling I. Sibirica in habit and blooming at the same time, early in June. It is extremely vigorous and hardy and very valuable either for the garden or for naturalizing on the edge of ponds or streams. 10 cts. each, \$1 per doz., \$5 per 100.

SIBIRICA SANGUINEA. This is the best of the Siberian Irises, and extremely desirable in every respect. Brilliant blue flowers freely produced. The plant grows with great vigor and is perfectly hardy. Splendid for the garden and nothing finer for naturalizing. 10 cts. each, 75 cts. per doz., \$5 per 100.

### LEONTOPODIUM ALPINUM

(Edelweiss, or Alpine Snowflower)

Well known to tourists who have traveled in Switzerland. It is a hardy plant, and well worth a trial. It should be grown either on the rockery or in well-drained, sandy soil. 15 cts. each, \$1.50 per doz.



IRIS TECTORUM

## SAPONARIA OCYMOIDES SPLENDENS

A charming creeping plant, even prettier than the creeping Phloxes. It is quite as free-flowering but piles itself up in masses that are lovely beyond description, beautiful bright pink flowers, produced in June. One really good thing that should be in every garden. Pot-grown plants, 20 cts. each, \$2 per doz.

#### SEDUM SPECTABILE SPLENDENS

This new variety is a great improvement of one of our best hardy plants. The flowers, instead of being rosy purple, are bright crimson, otherwise the plants are identical with the old variety, and have the same compact habit, which is handsome all season. We consider this one of the best hardy plants of recent introduction. 20 cts. each.

#### LIATRIS PYCNOSTACHYA

The popular name of this striking plant is Kansas Gay Feather. Nothing can be planted that will attract more attention on account of a very unusual appearance. but it is very beautiful as well as odd. It blooms in midsummer and throws up long, narrow spikes of rich purple flowers which last a long time. A peculiarity of this plant is its great attraction for butterflies; when in bloom it is always surrounded with them. A plant in bloom is shown in illustration on page 32. 15 cts. each, \$1.50 per dez., \$9 per 100.

#### LYCHNIS

Vespertina, Double White. Large, double white flowers. which are produced in the greatest profusion during the entire summer, taking the place of the carnation at a season when double white flowers are scarce. 20 cts. each, \$2 per doz.

Splendens, Double Red (Ragged Robin). Forms a dense tuft of evergreen foliage, and in June it sends up tall spikes of handsome double, deep red flowers of exquisite fragrance, and remains in perfection six weeks. 15 cts. each, \$1.50 per doz.

#### TUFTED PANSIES, or BEDDING **VIOLAS**

The Tufted Pansies are hybrids of Pansies and Viola cornuta, and are quite distinct from Pansies in habit and coloring, and we think far more beautiful. The flowers are smaller, but unique in coloring, and the plants spread from the roots like a violet, making them true perennials. They are perfectly hardy, enduring the extremely cold weather of 1898-89 in an open border without protection. They are immensely popular in England and Scotland, where they are generally used for bedding and table decorations, and nothing can be more charming for either purpose. We have always ad-mired these flowers in England, but were not certain that they would thrive in this climate, but after testing them a year in our garden we are convinced that they will do as well here as they do abroad. We have had a splendid lot of plants grown from the best collections in Scotland. They can be planted in the summer, fall or spring. 15 cts. each, \$1 per doz., \$6 per 100.

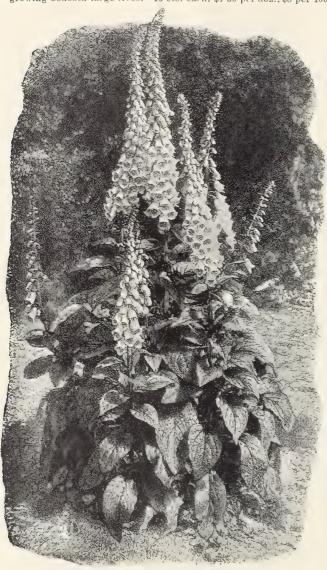
#### PLATYCODON

A valuable dwarf variety, bearing blue bellshaped flowers nearly 3 inches across, for a long season in late summer and early autumn. One of the finest of border plants. The unopened buds are nearly as beautiful as the flowers themselves, and are particularly interesting in their peculiar shape. Extremely effective when planted in groups. 15 cts. each, \$1.50 per doz., \$10 per 100.

Mariesi nana. The Platycodon or Wahlenbergia has been for many years one of the most popular hardy plants, and deservedly so. This new variety is a decided improvement, as the plants are dwarfer and more compact, and never fall over. Beautiful white or blue bell-shaped flowers produced in the greatest profusion. This new plant is to be highly commended. Price of either white or blue variety, 15 cts. each, \$1.50 per doz., \$10 per 100.

#### POLYGONUM CUSPIDATUM

A magnificent plant for producing bold masses of foliage, growing 8 feet high in good soil. Numerous fragrant white spirea-like flowers issue from the axils of the leaves. A stately plant for large flower-borders, shrubberies, wild gardens, banks of streams and ponds and for growing beneath large trees. 15 cts. each, \$150 per doz., \$8 per 100.



FOXGLOVE (See page 31)
(From the "English Flower Garden.")

#### **PYRETHRUMS**

The Pyrethrums are so simply and easily cultivated that they may be recommended to all who possess a garden, whether small or large. They are perfectly hardy and absolutely invaluable for cut-flowers through the summer and autumn months. The flowers are bright and elegantly borne on long stems; most convenient for vase decoration. In form the double varieties are somewhat aster- or chrysanthemum-like, and as their chief beauty is in the months of May and June, they may well be designated Spring Chrysanthemums, possessing the advantage over the chrysanthemums of being able to withstand the severest winter without protection. The single-flowered varieties are veritable colored marguerites and possess a range of color and hardiness that marguerites might envy in vain. Nothing can surpass the Pyrethrum for profusion of flowers in the season: flowers succeed flowers without stint, and the blossoms are not injured by storm or sun. Their position should be in the border or in beds. The plants may, with advantage, be cut down after June, which will keep up a greater succession of bloom through the autumn.

Pyrethrums grow freely in any ordinary garden soil; a good rich loam suits them, perhaps, best, and in order to secure size, brilliancy and number of flowers, plenty of ordinary well-rotted manure may be added to well-trenched, well-drained soil, and plenty of water may be given when they are in bud in the dry summer weather. A mulching may be applied in dry localities with advantage. The older varieties have been greatly improved upon during the past ten or fifteen years, which is the period during which Kelway & Son have made them a specialty, and the refined shape and brilliant or soft shades of the newer sorts have caused the Pyrethrum to become deservedly popular. We offer a splendid lot of plants of the choicest single varieties grown from Kelway's famous strains.

All Colors Mixed. 20 cts. each, \$1.75 per doz., \$10 per 100.

#### RUDBECKIA ("Golden Glow")

This hardy plant of recent introduction is entitled to rank with single hollyhocks for picturesqueness. In good soil it grows from 8 to 10 feet high, branches freely, and for two months in midsummer is literally covered with its large, bright yellow, double flowers. As a garden or lawn plant it is extremely decorative, and equally so as a cut-flower, and very lasting. We have used this a great deal in our landscape work, and have found a large circular group of it surrounded by the dwarfer Rudbeckia speciosa extremely effective 15 cts. each, \$1.25 per doz., \$8 per 100.

#### THALICTRUM AQUILEGIFOLIUM

This is undoubtedly one of the most desirable hardy plants in cultivation. Its fine habit, beautiful foliage and masses of lovely flowers, varying from white to purple through all intermediate shades, make it one of the most handsome things that can be planted. Height 2 to 3 feet; blooms in May and June. 15 cts. each, \$1.50 per doz., \$23 per 100.

#### HIERACIUM AURANTIACUM (Hawkweed)

A low-growing, rapid-spreading plant, best adapted for dry, sandy spots, or for covering steep slopes. The flowers are borne in flat heads and are of a bright orange-red. 15 cts. each, \$1.50 per doz.

#### VIOLA CORNUTA

These plants are sometimes known as Horned Pansies. They are the most satisfactory of the Violet family, perfectly hardy. They produce their beautiful purple or white flowers in the greatest profusion early in the spring, sometimes in March, and continue in bloom until extremely hot, summer weather comes on. The flowers are as large as small pansies and are thrown well above the foliage, which is neat, compact and beautiful.

	E	ach	Per doz.
	<b>Alba</b> . White\$0	15	\$1 50
	"Purple Queen." Pale lavender-purple	15	1 60
	Papilio ("Butterfly Horned Pansy"). A distinct and		
ı	beautifu! variety, the flowers of which resemble a		
ı	butterfly	15	1 50

#### MERTENSIA VIRGINICA (Blue Bells)

An early spring-flowering plant, growing about 1 to 1½ feet high, with drooping panicles of handsome light blue flowers, fading to clear pink. One of the most interesting of our native spring flowers. May and June. 15 cts. each, \$1.50 per doz.

#### MAMMOTH-FLOWERING SINGLE VIOLETS

In the varieties offered below, the Single Violets have been brought to such a high point of excellence that they are in equal favor with the double sorts, and, being much easier to grow and free from disease, we strongly recommend the amateur to confine himself to this class. By the use of a coldframe a fine crop of flowers can be had in the spring and in the fall.

#### 10 cts. each, \$1 per doz., \$6 per 100

La France. Rich violet blue; a strong grower and very free-flowering; deliciously scented.

Princess of Wales. Another grand variety, as large as Luxonne and a shade lighter in color; intensely fragrant.

Marie Louise. Double deep blue.

Double Russian. Hardy, double deep blue.

#### ORIENTAL POPPIES

I remember very well the first time I saw an Oriental Poppy. was a boy then, and it excited me wonderfully, and I thought it the most remarkable flower in the world; and now, after twenty-five years have gone by and I have seen almost all the known flowers of the world. I am still of the opinion that it is mighty fine, striking and effective, and I have taken the trouble to gather up and have grown a collection of several varieties. The foliage of Oriental Poppies dies away in the summer and many think they are dead, but they will start into growth again in the fall. They are rather hard to establish, but, once established, prove the most persistent perennial.

	h F	er doz.
Orientale. The type. Immense orange-red flowers, 8 to 12 inches in diameter		\$1 50
		φ1 00
Orientale, Brightness (Bracteatum). Flowers rich glow-	00	2 00
ing salmon, crimson-brown blotch at base of petals\$0	20	2 00
Orientale, Fire King. New. Large, fiery scarlet flowers with glittering black center; very handsome; 2½ feet		
high	25	2 50
Orientale, Pink Beauty. Large, delicate flesh-pink flowers, with dark blotch at the base of each petal: a very		
distinct color; 3 feet high	25	2 50
Orientale, Royal Prince. Large, brilliant scarlet flowers	35	3 50
Orientale, Salmon Queen. Large, handsome, soft salmon-		
scarlet flowers	25	2 50
Orientale, Trilby. Beautiful cerise-scarlet, with hand-		
some black spots at base of petals; distinct and extra		
fine	35	3 50
Orientale, Duke of Teck. Large brilliant crimson-scarlet		
flowers, handsome; 2½ feet high	25	2 50
Orientale, Masterpiece. New. Flowers very large and		
handsome, of the palest salmon-pink, slightly tinged		
mauve, borne on stiff stems; extra fine	25	2 50
Orienatle, Multiflorum. Large, deep blood-crimson flow-		
ers of medium size; free bloomer and early; 3 feet	0.0	0. =0
high	25	2 50
Orientale, Princess of Wales. A lovely new variety with		
flowers of satiny gray, shot with pink, but attractive	20	" 00
art shade; 3 feet high. Award of Merit, R. H. S	30	3 00

#### LUPINUS POLYPHYLLUS

This is one of the showiest of hardy perennials, but one rarely seen. It grows about 2½ feet high and produces freely great spikes of white or blue flowers in June. We have at last succeeded in obof white or blue nowers in June. We have at last succeeded in obtaining a stock of this really fine, hardy plant. We offer the white and blue varieties; also plants in mixture. 15 cts. each, \$1.50 per doz.

#### GENISTA SCOPARIA ELATIOR

This lovely "Broom" has proven perfectly hardy in our nursery. Its beautiful bright yellow flowers are as due as any of the green-house varieties, 20 cts. each, \$2 per doz.

#### HARDY ENGLISH IVIES

We have a fine stock of pot-grown plants suitable for early fall or spring planting. These Ivies are hardy if planted against a north wall. 25 cts. each, \$2.50 per doz., \$16 per 100.

#### SOUTHERNWOOD

Artemisia abrotanum (Southernwood, or "Old Man"). 25 cts. each. \$2.50 per doz.

Artemisia stelleriana. A trailing species with handsome silvery gray foliage; 6 inches high. 15 cts. each, \$1.50 per doz.

#### WALLFLOWERS

The old favorite fragrant Wallflower; mixed colors, including yellow, brown, etc. 15 cts. each, \$1.50 per doz., \$10 per 100.

#### CERASTIUM (Snow-in-Summer)

Tomentosum. A desirable low-growing plant with silvery foliage and white flowers, suitable for the rockery, or for carpeting dry,

and white flowers, suitable for the rockery, or for carpeting ary, sunny spots, such as covering graves or steep banks. 15 cts. each, \$1.50 per doz., \$8 per 100.

Biebersteinii. Similar to *C. tomentosum*, but the flowers are very much more beautiful. The plant is dwarf and covers the ground with a mat of silvery foliage which is almost evergreen. The starry flowers are white and extremely beautiful. They are produced freely in June. The plant is for the rockery, covering dry banks or adding barders. 15 ets each \$1.25 per doz. \$8 per 100. or edging borders. 15 cts. each, \$1.25 per doz., \$8 per 100.

# Orientale, Scarlet Giant. Dazzling scarlet, with glittering black blotch at base of petals. 3 ft. high, 40 cts. each. \$4 per doz.

Orientale, Prince George. Scarlet, large and fine. 30 cts. each. \$3 per doz.

#### HELIANTHEMUM MUTABILE

This dainty charming ever-green plant is almost unknown in this country, but nothing is more worthy of general culture. In Mrs. Henry L. Higginson's garden, perhaps the loveliest and certainly the most interesting garden in America, it is used in the greatest profusion and in a great variety of fusion and in a great variety of positions, and everywhere it is most charming. There are few more brilliant sights than masses of it in full beauty, and it is of easiest possible culture; dwarf and compact, bearing in great profusion fusion fusion with fine diversity. fusion flowers with fine diversity of color. It likes a light, well drained soil. The colors range from white and yellow to deep crimson, with a great variety of lovely intermediate shades. 20 cts. each, \$2 per doz.

#### SAXIFRAGA CORDI-**FOLIA**

This, the only Saxifraga, or Rockfoil, that is hardy in this climate, is distinguished by its large, handsome shiny foliage and its dense panicles of lovely pink flowers which are produced very early in the spring. 20 cts. each, \$2 per doz.



ORIENTAL POPPIES



The Creeping Phloxes have a charming beauty all their own, and, for general usefulness, are not to be surpassed by any flower that grows. They will thrive in any situation, except a very shady one; and in any soil, no matter how poor, unless it is very wet. They are absolutely hardy without protection; hardy last winter, which killed millions of plants and shrubs, and even trees. They have neat evergreen foliage, and when in bloom, which is during the month of May, their multitude of lovely pink, white or blue flowers cover everything beneath as completely as a carpet covers a floor. They bloom again in September, but not so freely. For covering rocky hillsides, sandy slopes, bare ground too poor to grow anything else, or for edging borders of hardy plants or shrubs, they are unsurpassed. Our President literally uses these plants by hundreds of thousands in his landscape work, and wherever he uses them there is a large demand for them. Just think of it! The splendid, inexpensive hardy plants, which increase fourfold every year, are almost unknown, while commonplace geraniums, with not one-tenth their beauty, are planted by the million, and must be planted annually.

The Creeping Phloxes can be planted advantageously in September and until the fifteenth of October. As we grow them by the acre, we can offer them in quantity at very low prices, which are given below.

		Per doz. 100 1,000
Phlox	subulata	(Moss Pink). Rose pink\$1 00 \$6 00 \$50 00
66	6.6	<b>alba</b> . Pure white 1 00 5 50
64	66	"The Bride." White with pink
		eye; lovely 1 00 6 00
64	66	"Model," Finest of all; bright
		pink 1 00 6 00
84	44	atropurpurea. Deep rosy purple 1 00 5 00 45 00
64	66	Little Dot. White, with blue
		center; small flowers of
		dainty habit 1 00 6 00
66	4.6	"G. F. Wilson." New; lovely
		light blue; distinct and fine.
		each, 10 cts 1 00 5 00 45 00
66	66	grandiflora. Lovely pink flowers
		with crimson blotch.ea., 15c 1 25 6 00

The following are more upright in growth, and

will	thrive in the shade as well as in the sun
Phlox	divaricata ("Wild Sweet William"). Soft light blue; fine for natural-
	izing
66	" alba. New white variety
	each, 25 cts 2 50
66	Cærulea. Similar to P, divaricata, but
	brightest blue flowers in the Phlox
	family 2 00
6.6	Stellaria. Silvery gray flowers. 4 inches
	high each, 20 cts 2 00
46	Reptans. Deep rose. 6 in. high 1 25 8 60

### WILD FLOWERS

We have recently received a long and indignant letter from a customer who complains that many of the plants we had sent him were wild flowers, some of them growing in his own neighborhood. Two of the things he complained of were Dogwood and Lilium superbum. Surely these fine things are none the less fine because they grow wild in many places, and if we could find sufficient variety in the wild growth of our neighborhood we certainly would give it the preference, as it would be certain to thrive in our climate and soil. This was the secret of the great success of the work of the late F. L. Olmsted; giving native things always the preference, his designs were never spoiled by the failure of exotic plants. Half the material offered in this Catalogue, including some of the phloxes described above, grow wild somewhere. Our customer complained that we fooled him with high-sounding names; now, we are not responsible for the names, and we do not want to fool any one, but we fear we must continue selling Wild Flowers.

# Hardy Climbing Plants



EUONYMUS RADICANS ON HOUSE IN ERIE

ACTINIDIA polygama\$6		Per \$5		ε.	100
AKEBIA quinata	25	7-	50		
▲MPELOPSIS Veitchi	20	_	75	\$12	00
Extra strong pot-grown plants	35	_	70 50	\$12	00
Quinquefolia (Virginia Creeper)	20	-	00	11	00
		_	•	11	00
ARISTOLOCHIA Sipho (Dutchman's Pipe)	50		00		
0	00		00		
SERCHEMIA racemosa	25	2	50		
BIGNONIA radicans (Native Trumpet Creeper).					
Orange-red	25	2	<b>50</b>		
Grandiflora (Chinese Trumpet Creeper)	30	_	00		
Thunbergii. Scarlet	35	_	25		
Madam Galen. Fine dark red; free bloomer.	35	3	50		
CELASTRUS scandens (Bitter Sweet)	25	2	50		
Paniculata. New variety from Japan. Very					
handsome, vigorous vine, with splendid					
showy fruit	40	4	00		
CLEMATIS coccinea	25	2	00	14	00
Henryi. Best large-flowered; white	50	5	00		
Vitalba.	25	2	00	16	00
Jackmani	50		00		
Extra large 1		10			
Paniculata. New and fine; extra-strong plants.	25	_	50		
Crispa	25	-	00	16	00
Flammula	25	_	50		
Virginiana	25	2	50	15	00
<b>DOLICHOS Japonica</b> (Japanese Hardy Bean)					
The fastest-growing vine in cultivation	50	5	00		
EUONYMUS radicans. A splendid evergreen					
vine of slow growth and elegant rich green foliage. In Erie we saw the walls of a stone house covered with this vine. It was the fin-					
est vine effect we have ever seen on a house and just as fine in winter as it is in summer	20	2	00	14	00

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EUONYMUS radicans variegata. A most beau-	Each	Per doz.	100
tiful evergreen vine, suitable for covering			
low walls or for carpeting the ground. For			
covering the walls of a house for a few			
feet only nothing can be finer	0 20	\$2 00	\$14 00
HONEYSUCKLE, Japonica (Evergreen), Hal-			
liana, Brachypoda, aureo reticulata (Gol-			
den), two years or pot-grown	20	2 00	14 00
Heckrotti. A superb and scarce sort; un-			
doubtedly the finest Honeysuckle in culti-			
vation	20	2 00	
LYCIUM Chinense (Matrimony Vine)	20	2 00	
MENISPERMUM Canadense (Moonseed)	25	2 50	
PERIPLOCA Græca (Silk Vine)	40	4 00	
POLYGONUM Baldschuanicum. A new and vig-			
orous-growing climber that is attracting a			
great deal of attention in England. Very			
free-flowering; the small branchlets bear			
large panicles of pure white flowers	1 00		
VITIS æstivalis (American Wild Grape)	20	2 00	
Riparia (American Wild Grape)	15	1 50	10 00
Odorata (Sweet-scented Wild Grape). Fra-			
grant	25	2 50	
Variegata. Beautiful variegated foliage	25	2 50	
WISTARIA Sinensis. Purple	30	3 00	17 00
Sinensis alba. White	50	5 00	30 00
Multijuga (Japanese Wistaria). A superb			
variety, with racemes of flowers often 3			
feet long	30	3 00	
Multijuga alba. White-flowered	30	3 00	
Frutescens. Our native Wistaria; flowers in			
the summer time	25	2 50	
We have a few extra large plants of Wistamia	Sim	main th	o molt.

We have a few extra large plants of Wistaria Sinensis, the well-known purple Chinese Wistaria, with tops fully 7 feet long, at \$1 ea.



WISTARIA SINENSIS



POLYANTHUS, or COWSLIP. (See page 30)

HARDY PLANTS

(Herbaceous Perennials)

Until hardy plants come into general use we cannot hope for artistic, interesting and beautiful gardens in this country. People of taste and culture are realizing the ugliness of the stereotyped bedding with lines of color, and will no longer allow their lawns to be daubed with a flower garden like a colored lithograph, although many of our public parks are still guilty of this atrocious work. With the material offered in this list the most beautiful and interesting gardens are to be made, gardens that increase in interest and beauty year after year; gardens that change their aspect with every change of season. To make a garden with hardy plants and shrubs requires far more taste and knowledge than it does to make one with the few varieties of bedding plants generally used, but the majority of gardeners do not have this knowledge, and have no idea of proper arrangement. But the garden of hardy plants has this advantage: the individual beauty of the plants themselves is so great that a garden cannot fail to be interesting and lovely, no matter how

themselves is so great that a garden cannot fail to be interesting and lovely, no matter how badly arranged, if the cultural skill is sufficient to bring them to perfection. People desirous of having really fine gardens will find William Robinson's book, the "English Flower Garden," most helpful. It is the best and most comprehensive book ever written on gardening. Every plant and shrub worthy of consideration is described and cultural directions given; several chapters are devoted to the arrangement of gardens, and the book is profusely illus-

trated with pictures made in the best gardens in England. This book is not generally on sale, but can be ordered through any bookseller.

Hitherto it has been impossible to get satisfactory varieties and plants of perennials; in fact, no nursery in this country has had a satisfactory general stock of hardy plants, and I have had the greatest difficulty in getting the plants specified for my landscape gardening work, as this class of plants is

extremely difficult to import. The difficulty became so great, and my work so hampered by the lack of plants to carry it out, that I established a hardy plant nursery, which I have now transferred to the Elliott Nursery Company. It is the intention to make this nursery a model c. its kind, and grow everything in hardy plants worthy of culture, and to send out nothing but well-grown plants packed in the most careful manner.

#### SPECIAL OFFERS OF HARDY PLANTS IN VARIETY

The plants in the following collections will be of the best and most desirable varieties and the plants of the best quality, but in every instance the selection of varieties is to be made by us; but if purchasers will state the things they have, or don't wish, these will not be included in the selection. Sometimes people write asking for a list of the plants contained in these collections. This can not be given, so please save us the unpleasantness of refusing by not asking for it.

Offer No. 1 of Hardy Plants.	Twenty-five first-class plants in variety for\$2 50
Offer No. 2 of Hardy Plants.	Fifty first-class plants in variety for 4 00
Offer No. 3 of Hardy Plants.	One hundred first-class plants in varied assortment
of best species and varieties f	or
Offer No. 4. Five hundred Hard	y Plants, same as above, but in larger variety, for 30 00
Offer No. 5. One thousand Hard	y Plants, same as above, but in much larger variety, for 55 00



JAPANESE ANEMONE (See page 39)

In the following list height and time of blooming are indicated as follows: Figures following the letter H indicate height in feet; igures following the letter F indicate the number of the month or months the plants bloom in. This is only approximate, as height and time of towering vary considerably with soils, climates and seasons.

Prices quoted are for not less than half the quantities named, but single plants will be furnished at following low rates: Plants at \$1 or less per dozen, 10 cents each; plants at \$1.75 and \$2 per dozen, 20 cents each; plants at \$2.50 and \$3 per dozen, 25 cents each.



AQUILEGIA

	· doz.	. 10	0 1
ACANTHUS mollis. A striking foliage plant\$	2 50		
ACONITUM Napellus (Monkshood). Beautiful but			- 1
poisonous plant with blue flowers	2 50		
ACHILLEA Ptarmica fl. pl. One of the most useful			
plants; numerous and dense masses of white			j
flowers; fine for cutting. H 1 to 2, F 6 to 10	1 00	\$6	00
Willofelium reserve Ded demons produced in profes	1 00	φυ	00
Millefolium roseum. Red flowers produced in profu-			
sion for a long season; little known in this country	0.5	0	00
but very popular in England H 1 to 3, F 4 to 10.	1, 20	0	00
Egyptica. Sulphur-yellow flowers, silvery gray foli-	0=	8	00
age; very neat. H 1 to 3, F 6 to 8	1 20	0	00
	1 0=	6	00
H 2, F 6 to 10	1 23	0	00
ÆTHIONEMA grandiflora. Flowers in rosy racemes.			
H 2, F 5 to 8	1 50		
AGROSTEMMA coronaria. Beautiful rich crimson			
flowers. H 1½, F 7	1 25	8	00
flowers. H 1½, F 7	1 50	10	00
Coronaria alba. Pure white		8	00
Coronaria atrosanguinea. Brilliant dark crimson	1 25	8	00
Coronaria bicolor. White and red	1 25	8	00
Flos Jovis. Extremely desirable rose-tinted flowers,			
fine for cutting. H 1½, F 7	1 25	8	00
ALSTROMERIA Chilensis (Chilian Lily). A tuberous-			-
rooted plant 2 feet high, with spikes of showy			
flowers varying from rosy white to deep orange			- 1
and red, flowering from July to September. In			
exposed situations requires protection	1 50		
ALYSSUM saxatile compactum, Masses of golden			- 1
yellow flowers. Invaluable for spring flowering.			
H 1, F 4	25	8	00
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5 cents each.			-	
	er	doz.	](	00
<b>AMSONIA Tabernæmontana.</b> Desirable perennial with lead-colored blue flowers. H 2, F 5 to 6	\$1	50		
<b>ANEMONE Pennsylvanica.</b> A beautiful native Anemone. Fine for naturalizing. H 1½, F 6	7	25	\$8	06
Japonica rosea. Purplish rose. H 3 to 5, F 9 to 10	1	50	10	
Japonica, rosea elegans. Improved variety. H 3 to 5, F 9 to 10	1	50	10	06
Japonica alba. White H 3 to 5, F 9 to 10 Japonica, Whirlwind. New semi-double variety.	i	50	10	
White, H 3 to 5, F 9 to 10	1	50	8	90
Japonica, Queen Charlotte. Large semi-double flowers of a lovely shade of pink	1	50	9	00
Japonica, Lady Ardilaun. Pure white, broad, over-	1	50		00
lapping petals	1	50	J	0.0
most beautiful things in cultivation. They are perfectly hardy, and in a strong, rich and heavy soil will grow 4				
to 5 feet high. They are a mass of beautiful white or				
pink bloom from late summer until heavy frosts. They should be in every garden, and on large places should				
be planted by the hundred. Should be planted early in September or in the spring.				
ANTHEMIS Kelwavi. Soft, clear vellow, H 1%, F 6 to 8.	1	25	8	00
Tinctoria. Yellow; free-flowering; thrives in any		25		00
ANTHERICUM Liliastrum (St. Bruno's Lily). Pure	1	20	0	04
white, fragrant, graceful, lily-like plant, preferring partial shade	1	75		
AQUILEGIA cærules (Rocky Mountain Columbine). The most beautiful of all Columbines; one of the	1	10		
The most beautiful of all Columbines; one of the most charming hardy flowers in cultivation.				
most charming hardy flowers in cultivation.	1	75	12	0ć
Cærulea lutea. New; large, light yellow flowers. H 1 to 2, F 4 to 5	1	75	10	00
Chrysantha. Beautiful golden yellow flowers; blooms for two months. H 3 to 4, F 5 to 6	1	50	8	00-
Chrysantha alba. A white variety of the above Canadensis (native). Red and yellow. H 1, F 5	1		8	00
Skinneri. Scarlet, handsome and distinct. H 3 to 4,			10	
F 5 Stuarti. Large, erect, blue flowers, pure white corolla;	1	50	10	00
splendid	1	50	9	0 <b>0</b>
and white flowers	1	50		00
Jaetschaui. Large yellow flowers, with reddish spurs. Californica. Large orange-yellow flowers Truncata. Scarlet and yellow; dwarf, very early	1	50 50	8	00
Truncata. Scarlet and yellow; dwarf, very early  Alpina superba. Blue and white	1	50 50	10 10	
Vulgaris. Old-fashioned double Columbine	1	25		00
Six choice Aquilegias, in six varieties, for 75 cts., or 12 plants, in 12 varieties, for \$1 50.				
ARENARIA Balearica. Creeping plant, with dense				
mass-like foliage; white flowers in spring; fine for rockwork	1	50	8	00
ARALIA. Splendid foliage plants, growing 6 to 8 feet				
high; of striking effect.  Cordata				
Edulis	_	00		
ARABIS alpina. Forms a dense carpet, completely				
covered with pure white flowers in early spring.  Fine for rockwork and edging	1	50		
ARTEMISIA Abrotanum (Old Man, or Southernwood).  Dark green, finely cut foliage; aromatic odor	1	F.0		
Absinthium (Wormwood)				
ARUNDO Donax, Splendid for making tropical-like groups; will grow 16 feet high in rich soil	9	00	20	nn.
Donax macrophylla An improved variety with	O	00	20	UW
broader leaves				
o to 8			15	90
ARMERIA maritima (Thrift or Sea Pink) Dianthoides	1	50 50		
ARRHENATHERUM bulbosum variegata. A neat and				
distinct new variegated grass which should prove very attractive in the rock-garden	1	50		





BOCCONIA

Horizontalis. Symmetrical plant, with small rosy lilac flowers. H 2, F 9. \$2.50 per doz.

Robert Parker. Large sprays of beautiful lavender-blue flowers, with yellow center. H 4, F 9. \$1.50 per doz.

Novæ-Angliæ, Wm. Bowman. Large, rich rosy purple flowers, with deep golden bronze disc. Very showy. H 4 to 5, F 8 to 9. 15 cts. each, \$1.50 per doz.

Novæ-Angliæ, Mrs. J. F. Rayner. Large vivid crimson flowers, 2 inches in diameter; strong, erect grower. H4to5, F8to9. \$2.50 per doz.

Novi-Belgii, Ella. Large, delicate mauve flowers, with golden center; profuse bloomer; extra fine. \$2.50 per doz.

Novi-Belgii, Esme. Large, pure white flowers produced in masses; fine bushy habit. \$2.50 per doz.

AUBRIETIA violacea. Valuable evergreen trailer. H 1 to 3, F 4 to 5. \$1.25 per doz.

BAPTISIA australis. \$1 per doz., \$6 per 100.

BELLIS perennis (Double Daisy).

Assorted colors. H ½, F 4
to 5. 50 cts. per doz., \$3 per
100.

BERGAMOT. See Monarda.

BLEEDING HEART. See Dicentra.

BOCCONIA microcarpa. \$2 per doz. Thunbergii. \$2 per doz.



HARDY ASTERS

	(From wood and Garden )	D.,,	doz.		100
ı	BOCCONIA Japonica	.\$3	00		100
	Cordata. Large, broad, striking leaves; large plume of white flowers; fine for subtropical effects. H	5	=0	\$10	00
	to 7, F 7 to 8		90	фто	00
	BOLTONIA latisquama. Light pinkish blue flowers very lovely; blooms late in fall. Highly recom				
	mended. H 3 to 4		<b>50</b>	10	00
	Asteroides. Pure white; very effective. H 3 to 4 F 9 to 10		50	10	00
	CALLIRHOË involucrata. Large crimson flowers trailing habit; very showy	;	25	8	00
	CALYSTEGIA pubescens plena. Large pale double ros flowers; blooms in the greatest profusion. I flowers for several months, and is one of the bes	[t			
	and showiest of hardy climbers		25		
	CAMPANULA (Bell Flower) The Campanula genu	S			

a biennial, dies after blooming. \$1.50 per doz., \$10 per 100. Persicifolia. Large blue flowers, almost as showy as Canterbury Bells.

H 2, F 6. \$1.50 per doz.

plants; but, being only

Persicifolia alba. White flowers; a grand border plant. H 1 to 3, F 7. \$1.50 per doz.

Grandiflora Mariesi. Large white and purple flowers; desirable. \$1.50 per doz., \$10 per 100.

Mariesi compacta nana A new improved dwarf variety of great beauty; large white or purple flowers. \$1.50 per doz., \$10 per 100.

Carpatica. Dwarf; light blue. H ¾, F 6. \$1.50 per doz., \$10 per 100.



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CAMPANULA TURBINATA



HEDGE OF DIANTHUS BARBATUS (See page 42)

Per	doz. 1	00
CAMPANULA macrantha. Large blue flowers; one of the best\$1	50 \$10	00
Rotundifolia (Blue Bells of Scotland). Slender stems, with deep blue flowers; charming 1 5	50 10	00
Punctata. Strong, erect spikes, fine and showy; one of the best	25 8	00
Glomerata. Rich deep blue flowers in dense heads; extra fine and effective. H 1 to 5, F 5 to 6 1 2  Nobilis alba. Fine foliage and flowers		00
Pyramidalis. Very showy, with large, salver-like blue flowers. H 4 to 5, F 9		
CANDYTUFT. See Iberis.		
CANTERBURY BELLS. See Campanula Medium.		
CARDINAL FLOWER. See Lobelia.		
CASSIA Marylandica. Handsome pinnate foliage and numerous racemes of showy yellow flowers; an extremely desirable plant of the easiest culture. H 4 to 5, F 7		
CATANANCHE cærulea. White flowers,		
Very useful for cutting. H $2\frac{1}{2}$ , F 6 to 9 1 25	1000	
Bicolor. Blue and white. H 2½, F 6 to 9 1 00	13	1
CENTAUREA Babylonica. Showy yellow		4 -
flowers; suitable for planting in shrubberies and large borders. H 6 to 10, F 7		2
Macrocephala. Yellow; very fine. H 3 to 5, F 7		1)
Montana (Mountain Knapweed). Blue flowers. H 2, F 6		-
CERASTIUM tomentosum. Very dwarf		
plant, covered with small white flow- ers; very desirable for carpeting or edging borders and beds; silvery		100
white foliage, which is very attractive throughout the season 1 25 8 00		
CHRYSANTHEMUM, Hardy Pompon Varieties. H 2 to 3, F 10 to 11 1 50	The same of	
Hardy Large-flowered Varieties. These	1	
and the preceding varieties are the old-fashioned Chrysanthemums that used to be in every garden. They are perfectly hardy, and make a brave show of color late in the fall,		
after all other flowers are gone. H 3 to 4, F 10 to 11 1 50		

CHRYSA	NTH	EMUM	latifo	lium.	Simila	ar to
the	e Maxi	mum	but mr	ich bet	ter; or	ne of
the	most	satis	factory	of ha	rdy pla	ints;
his	thly re	comm	ended:	fine i	for cut	ting.
H	2, F 6	to 9.	\$1.50	per de	oz., \$10	per
100	).				, ,	-

Maximum. Large, single, daisv-like flowers. \$1.25 per doz., \$8 per 100.

Maximum filifera. A dwarf, improved form of Maximum. \$1.50 per doz., \$10 per 100.

Maximum, Princess Henry. A variety with very large white flowers. \$1.50 per doz., \$10 per 100.

Leucanthemum (Shasta Daisy). Advertised as a California Wonder. 15 cts. each.

Leucanthemum Triumph. Another improved variety, with large flowers. \$1.50 per doz.

CLEMATIS recta. 25 cts. each, \$2.50 per doz. Davidiana. This is an herbaceous plant instead of a climber, and has beautiful

blue flowers and handsome foliage; very desirable. \$1.75 per doz.

COREOPSIS lanceolata. \$1 per doz., \$6 per 100. Per doz. 100

Grandiflora. An improved variety, with large, bright yellow flowers; fine for cut-flowers; one of the best hardy plants in cultivation. H 2 to 3, F 5 to 7.\$1 00 \$6.06 

CONVALLARIA majalis (Lily-of-the-Valley. Pips.... 40 2 00

CRAMBE cordifolia. One of the finest large-leaved herbaceous plants; valuable where a striking and bold effect is required; its white flowers are pro-

Pinnatifida. Same as above, but of dwarfer habit .. 40 cts. each.. 4 00



GERMAN IRIS (See page 17)

CYPRIPEDIUM spectabile. The most beautiful hardy	er	doz.	10	0
orchid, and one of the most lovely flowers in the world; does well in a shady, moist location out-				
doors, and forces well in the greenhouse for Easter.\$	3	50		
DAY LILY, White. See Funkia. Yellow. See Hemerocallis.				
<b>DELPHINIUMS, Chinese.</b> Dark blue, small-flowered;				
elegant and distinct dwarf species	1	50	<b>\$</b> 9	00
Formosum. A splendid old hardy plant, with dark intense blue flowers. H 4 to 5, F 6 to 7	1	25	8	00
Formosum cœlestina. New; light; of great beauty				
Fine Mixed. Tall English. H 4 to 8, F 6 to 9	1	50	8	00
<b>DIANTHUS</b> barbatus (Sweet William). Improved auricula-flowered	ĭ	25	8	00
Fimbriata alba (White Fringe Pink). H 1 to 2, F 5.	1	50		00
Scoticus fl. pl. (Double Scotch Pink). Desirable	1	25		00
"Her Majesty." A fine hardy white Pink  Plumarius, Pheasant's Eye (Hardy Pink)	1	50 00		00
Plumarius semperflorens. One of the most beautiful			U	00
Pinks in cultivation; blooms all season				00
Deltoides. A creeping Pink of great beauty  Laura Wilmot	1	50 50		00
Prince Arthur.	1	-		00
Juliette	1	50		00
Souvenir de Sale	1	50	10	00
DICENTRA Cucullaria	1	15	19	75 00
Spectabilis alba (White-flowered Bleeding Heart)		75 00	12	00
Eximia. Beautiful fern-like foliage; blooms all sum-				
mer. H 3/4 to 1½, F 4 to 8.		75	12	00
DRACOCEPHALUM Ruyschiana. Dark violet-blue; neat border plant. H 2, F 6	1	50	10	00
Virginianum. Tall, white-flowered variety				
<b>DICTAMNUS.</b> The Dictamnus is one of the most satisfactory hardy plants in cultivation, both on account				
of splendid flowers and its rich, durable foliage.				
Fraxinella. H 2, F 5 to 7				
Fraxinella alba. H 2, F 7 to 8			10	00
Veitch's. Finest spotted and improved strain	1			00
Gloxinæflora	1			00
Maculata superba			8	00
Monstrosa				
Grandiflora				
Buxbaumii	1	50		
<b>DORONICUM</b> plantagineum excelsum. A splendid spring-flowering plant; yellow flowers. H 2 to 3.	1	75	19	00
EPILOBIUM angustifolium. Crimson flowers; suitable			12	00
for naturalizing. H 3 to 6, F 7				
<b>ERIANTHUS Ravennæ.</b> A splendid tall-growing grass suitable for tropical effects. H 8 to 12, F 9 to 10	3	50	20	00
ERYNGIUM Yuccæfolium (Sea Holly). Curious and beautiful plants.				
beautiful plauts  Pulchellum	3	00		
Ebeneum				
ERYSIMUM pulchellum. Dwarf plant like a wallflower.				
EULALIA. The Eulalias are splendid grasses for mak-				
ing beds and groups for tropical effects.  Japonica variegata. H 5 to 7	1	25	6	00
Japonica zebrina. H 5 to 7	1	25	6	00
EUPHORBIA corollata. A choice native plant with	1	29	б	00
white flowers; largely used by florists for cut-				0.0
flowers	1	50	8	00
growing 6 to 10 feet high, with immense head of				
purplish pink flowers; fine for naturalizing along streams and ponds, and for planting among shrub-				
bery. F 7 to 9	1	50	16	00
EVENING PRIMROSE. See Enothera, FERNS. Best hardy varieties	1	50	10	0.0

	Perd	loz.	100
FESTUCA glauca	\$2	00	
FOXGLOVE. See Digitalis.			
FUNKIA subcordata (White Day Lily). H 11/2, F 5 to	8. 1	50	\$10 00
Variegata. Variegated foliage, blue flowers. H	1,		
F 5	1	25	8 00
Cærulea (Blue Day Lily). H 2½, F 7	1	25	8 00
Sieboldi. One of the finest of hardy plants	on		
account of splendid foliage. H 2 to 3, F 7 to 8.	3	00	
Aurea maculata. Young foliage in early spring is	of		
a bright yellow color	2	50	
Undulata argentea. Silver variegation	2	50	
Marginata albo variegata. A very distinct var			
gated variety			13 00
Aoki	1	25	
GAILLARDIA. Hardy varieties. (See page 31)	1	25	7 00



DIGITALIS PURPUREA

P	er	doz.	10	()
GLOBULARIA Tricosantha (Globe Daisy). Light blue				
flower. H ½ to ¾, F 5	61	50		
HELIANTHUS. The hardy Sunflowers are among the				
most desirable of hardy plants. They are free-				
flowering, have a long season of bloom, are very				
decorative in the garden, and are fine for cutting.				
All have bright yellow flowers.				
Tuberosa (Jerusalem Artichoke). Very decorative;				
grows 12 feet high; also a desirable vegetable			\$6	
Multiflorus. Great hardy Sunflower	1	50	10	00
Multiflorus plenus. Double hardy Sunflower. H 5	,	~0	10	00
to 6, F 8 to 9	1	50	10	00
Doronicoides. Very tall; fine for planting among	1	50	10	٥٥
shrubbery	1	00	10	00
flowers; fine for cutting. H 4 to 5, F 7 to 8	1	25	7	00
Rigidum. Distinct and good. H 4 to 5, F 7 to 8			10	
Maximiliana. Tall and very late; one of the most	-			•
stately and elegant hardy plants in cultivation;				
best Sunflower to bloom in the fall. H 7 to 9,				
F 10 to 11	1	50	10	00
Miss Mellish. Very large duplex flowers of exqui-				
site shape and bright orange-yellow, freely pro-				
duced during August and September. Grand for				
cutting. H 5	1	50	8	00

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	o <sub>er</sub>	doz.	10	0
HELIANTHUS mollis grandiflora			\$10	
Orgyalis. A very striking, tall Sunflower. H				
5 to 6. F 6 to 10	1	50	10	00
Soleil d'Or. An improved double yellow hardy				
Sunflower	1	50	10	00
Trachelifolius	1	25	7	00
Giganteus. Pale yellow flowers, 3 inches across;				
very elegant. H 4 to 5, F 8 to 9	1	50	8	00
"Golden Bouquet." A new hardy Sunflower,				
blooming very early; slender stems bearing				
a multitude of small golden flowers	1	50		
Buttaris		50		
HELIANTHEMUM mutabile (Sun Rose).				
Charming dwarf evergreen plants with pink				
and white flowers. H ½, F 5 to 6	1	75		
HELENIUM Hoopesii. Bright orange flowers.				
H 2 to 3, F 7 to 8		50		
Autumnale superbum. An improved variety of				
great beauty		00		
Grandi orum striatum. Yellow, with reddish				
stripes; new and distinct	2	50		
HELIOPSIS Pitcheriana. Similar to the hardy				
Sunflower, but blooming during a much				
longer season. H 3 to 6, F 8 to 10	1	25	8	00
HELLEBORUS niger (Christmas Rose)	4	50	30	00
HEMEROCALLIS flava (Lemon Day Lily). H 2				
to 3, F 6 to 7		50	10	00
Florham. Splendid new large-flowering sort :				
bright yellow flowers50 cts. each	5	00		
bright yellow flowers	1	25	8	00
Fulva flore pleno, Double	1	75	12	00
Graminea. Bright yellow; one of the best	1	50	10	00
<b>Dumortieri</b> . H 1½, F 6 to 7	1	50	10	00
Aurantiaca. Large orange-yellow flower	2	50		
Aurantiaca major. New and very beautiful.				
Needs protection in winter50 cts. each	5	00		
Thunbergi, Bright yellow, H 3, F / to 8	- 1	50		
Sieboldii. Clear, deep bright yellow. H 3, F	,	75		
5 to 6		75		
HERACLEUM giganteum (Giant Parsnip). A				
remarkable foliage plant of striking appear				
ance				
Leichtlini	2	90		



A COLONY OF CANDYTUFT (IBERIS)



HESPERIS MATRONALIS.

A COLONI OF CARDITORY (IDDING)	
Per doz.	100
HESPERIS matronalis, Purple (Sweet Rocket). H 2 to 3, F 6 to 9\$1 00	\$6 00
Matronalis, White	6 00
HEUCHERA sanguinea. Very choice, graceful dwarf plant with lovely	
crimson flowers; fine for cutting. H 3/4 to 11/2, F 7 to 9	10 00
Alba. New white variety	
HIBISCUS Moscheutos. Bright pink	8 00
Moscheutos, "Crimson Eye." White. H 3 to 6, F 8 to 10	8 00
HOLLYHOCKS, Best Double 1 50	
Best Single 1 25	
HONESTY. See Lunaria.	
HYACINTHUS candicans. Showy white flowers, blooming in summer;	
easiest culture	3 00
IBERIS (Candytuft) corifolia. Large snow-white flowers. H 3/4, F 5 1 50	10 00
Sempervirens (Hardy Candytuft). One of the most desirable spring-	
flowering plants. It covers the ground with a mat of pure white	10.00
flowers. H 3/4 to 1, F 4 to 5	10 00
Sempervirens nana. Improved dwarf variety	8 00
Sempervirens, "Queen of Italy." A new dwarf variety with violet	0.00
flowers; very pretty	8 00
IPOMCA pandurata. Known as a hardy Moonflower; a free-flowering	10.00
and very desirable hardy climber 1 50	10 00
IRIS Kæmpferi (Japanese Iris). See page 17.	
Pseudo-acorus variegata. Foliage beautifully variegated; flowers rich	
yellow; suitable for marshes and water-courses. H 3, F 5 to 6 2 00	
Germanica (German Iris), in 25 choice named varieties. H 2 to 3, F 6. 1 25	8 00
Germanica, "Silver Kivg." A most beautiful variety of rich silvery	8 00
white color	5 00
Sibirica sanguinea. Bright blue flowers. H 3 to 4, F 6	5 00
Sibirica alba. White	5 00
Florentina (Orris Root). Very large white fragrant flowers; very fine	
and lasting; desirable for cutting. H 2, F 5 to 6	
Tectorum 75	5 00

Per doz.	. 100		
LATHYRUS latifolius splendens. Bright pink	. 100	PHLOX. The Creeping Phloxes are among the most	10
25 cts. each\$2 50		charming of hardy plants. They cover the ground	
Latifolius albus (White Everlasting Pea). These		with a mat of green at all times, and during the	
everlasting Peas are but little known in this country, but are great favorites in England. They		month of May make a most beautiful carpet of white or pink flowers.	
are extremely showy and fine25 cts. each 2 50		Best Perennial Named Varieties. Clumps from	
LAVENDER. The well-known garden herb 1 00		open ground; a fine collection\$1 50 \$10	0
I.EPACHYS pinnata. Single yellow flowers like a rud-			0
beckia; graceful and showy. H 4 to 5, F 7 to 8 1 75			0
LIATRIS pycnostachya. A most striking hardy sum-		Subulata alba 1 00 5	5
mer-blooming plant, with great rocket-like spikes		, 0	0
of purple flowers; continues a long time in bloom.	<b>A</b> D 00	Atropurpurea. Creeping; of great beauty and vigor. 1 25 5	00
H 3 to 5, F 6 to 9	\$ 8 00 10 00	PHLOX divaricata. A beautiful native Phlox, with	
LINARIA Hendersonii	10 00		6 0
LINUM perenne (Flax). H 1½, F 6 to 8	8 00	Carolina. A rare native variety with bright pink	
Perenne album 1 95	8 00		3 0
Perenne roseum	8 00	PHYSOSTEGIA Virginica. Erect spikes of pretty pink flowers. H $1\frac{1}{2}$ to $2\frac{1}{2}$	
LOBELIA cardinalis. Native plant, with intensely bril-		Virginica alba. A beautiful white variety. H 2 to	
liant cardinal flowers; extremely desirable. H 2	0.00	3, F 7 to 8 1 50	
to 3, F 7 to 9	8 00	PINK. See Dianthus.	
LUNARIA biennis (Honesty)		PLANTAIN LILY. See Funkia.	
LYCHNIS Viscaria splendens		PLUME POPPY. See Bocconia.	
Chalcedonica. Dense heads of brilliant scarlet flowers; one of the best border plants. H 1½ to 3,		PLUMBAGO Larpentæ. A dwarf plant covering the	
F 5 to 8	8 00	ground completely with its foliage. In Septem-	
Chalcedonica flore pleno. A fine double variety; fine		ber it is a mass of beautiful deep blue flowers,	
for cutting 1 50	9 00	which gradually change to violet 1 25	0
LYTHRUM superbum roseum. Very showy; splendid			
for banks of streams and ponds. H 3 to 5, F 7 to 8. 1 50	8 00		
LYSIMACHIA nummularia aurea (Golden Moneywort).			
Fine for carpeting	5 00		
flowers. H 2 to 3, F 7 to 9			
Punctata. Splendid showy yellow flowers. H 1½ to			
2, F 6 1 25			
MERTENSIA Virginica. A lovely blue flower, bloom-			
ing in early spring. H 2, F 4	8 00		-
Sibirica 1 50			-
MONARDA didyma (Bergamot). Very showy crimson			
flowers. H 2, F 7 to 9	8 00		
Didyma rosea	9 00		
F 6 to 8 1 00	6 00		
MONTBRETIA crocosmæflora. Hardy, bulbous, with			
brilliant orange and scarlet flowers 50	3 50	C. C. IN C. S. C.	
MORINA longifolia. Handsome and singular; fine spikes			
of flowers; ornamental leaves. H 2 to 3, F 6 to 7 2 00			
MYOSOTIS palustris semperflorens (Water Forget-Me-			2
Not). Splendid for naturalizing on edge of ponds		W. Market State Control of the same	-
and streams; also for beds and borders; blooms	6 00	SEDUM SPECTABILE (See page 43)	
all summer	6 00		
ENOTHERA (Evening Primrose). The Evening		POLYGONUM cuspidatum (Giant Knotweed). Grows	
Primrose is desirable and striking, and very effec-		to 12 feet high; makes a splendid group for tropical effect	0
tive in the garden on moonlight nights.	1		3 0
Splendens. A splendid dwarf variety, blooming in	0.00		
the daytime	8 00 8 00	PRIMULA vulgaris (English Hardy Primrose). H ½	0
Lamarckiana. Large sulphur yellow flowers, lovely	8 00	7 -7	0
beyond description. H 4-5, F 7-8 1 50		Japonica. Beautiful and desirable variety 1 75	
ONOPORDON Acanthium (Scotch Thistle). Noble		Acaulis 1 50	
plant, with striking foliage and showy purple		PYRETHRUM uliginosum. A splendid fall-flowering	
flowers		plant with single white daisy-like flowers. H 3 to 5. 1 25	3 0
Arabicum. Both sides of leaves and stems covered with white down. H 8 to 1025 cts. each 2 50	Ì		0
OROBUS lathyroides. Charming border plant and fine		Single Varieties. The Single Pyrethrums are	
for rockery 1 75		among the loveliest hardy flowers grown. They are splendid for beds and borders, and nothing	
PANSIES, Best Strain. Plants for spring bedding 50	3 50	can be finer for cutting. Their single, daisy-like	
PAPAVER orientale (Great Oriental Poppy). Splen-	3 30	flowers, of all colors, are produced in the greatest	
did. H 3, F 6	9 00	profusion early in the spring and again in the fall. 1 75 10	0
Bracteata 1 50	10 00	RHEUM officinale (Chinese Rhubarb). The immense	
PARDANTHUS Chinensis (Blackberry Lily) 1 25	8 00	leaves of this noble foliage plant produce a bold	
PENTSTEMON barbatus Torreyi. Brilliant crimson and		and striking effect. Robinson says this is the most effective foliage plant introduced for many	
orange flowers in July; one of the best hardy		years	
plants. H 3 to 5 1 25	8 00	Collinianum. Like the above, but foliage more	
Digitalis. Showy spikes of pure white flowers 1 25	8 00	deeply cut; splendid50 cts. each 5 00	
Cobæa		Emodi. Grows 5 feet high; wrinkled-leaved, with	
Spectabilis	19.00	red veins; very effective	
PEONIES, Good Varieties. Mixed	12 00	Tanghuticum. Has fine foliage and is of rapid	

Day Jan	100 1	Don don	100
RHEUM giganteum. A tall, vigorous variety of strik- ing effect	100	TEUCRIUM Chamædrys. Evergreen shining leaves; purple flowers; will grow on barren soils\$1 25	100 \$6 00
Spiciforme		THALICTRUM Aquilegifolium. All Thalictrums have handsome foliage, and this variety has quite showy	
foliage 1 50		flowers. H 3 to 4, F 6 to 7	
RUDBECKIA speciosa. Native. One of the very best border plants in cultivation. A group of "Golden Glow" surrounded by this variety makes a splendid effect. H 2 to 3, F 7 to 9	\$8 00	THERMOPSIS Caroliniana. Showy plant, with attractive yellow flowers	
"Golden Glow." New double Rudbeckia; grows 10 to 12 feet high and is undoubtedly one of the	φο σσ	TIARELLA cordifolia (Foam Flower). A most charming dwarf spring-flowering plant, with beautiful	
most effective plants in cultivation. It is becoming very popular. F 7 to 9	8 00	white flowers and lovely foliage	2 50
with black center; very effective         1 25           Nitida         1 50	7 00 10 00	Erectum album	2 50
Hirta. The "Black-eyed Susan" of our meadows 1 25 Laciniata. Tall variety, with graceful single yellow	8 00 6 00	TRITOMA uvaria grandiflora (Red-hot Poker). Needs protection; a striking fall-flowering plant. H 3 to 4, F 9 to 11	10 00
flowers	12 00	<b>Pfitzerii</b> (Flame Flower, or Torch Lily). This new Tritoma is undoubtedly one of the most valuable introductions of recent years. <i>Tritoma uvaria</i> ,	
Maxima. Large bright yellow flowers; glaucous foliage. 1 75	12 00	or "Red-hot Poker" plant, is highly prized on ac- count of its picturesque appearance and its bloom-	
Ruta graveolens (Rue). This is a well-known herb. 50		ing so late in the fall after almost everything else is gone. This new variety is a great improvement	
<b>SAPONARIA</b> ocymoides splendens. A charming little		in every respect. The flowers are much more re- fined and beautiful, and are produced in the greatest profusion from early summer until late	
creeping plant covered with bright lovely rosy crimson flowers during the month of June 2 00		fall, coming into bloom at least two months before the older variety. It is equally desirable for gar- den effect or for cut-flowers, and is decidedly	
<b>BAXIFRAGA cordifolia.</b> Large, shiny foliage and large panicles of bright pink flowers. H 1, F 4 to 5 2 00		uniqueeach, 15 cts 1 50  TUSSILAGO Farfara variegata, A handsome varie-	
grower; desirable. H 3, F 5 to 7	10 00	gated form of Coltsfoot, with bold yellow and green foliage; fine for rockeries and shady places.  Plant in the spring	
the best hardy plants in cultivation; grows and flowers freely in any garden soil		VERBASCUM nigrum. Yellow flowers in long spikes; dwarfed habit20 cts. each 2 00	
above		Olympicum. Bright yellow flowers; large woolly foliage; stately	
SPECTABILE. A fine fall-flowering plant via great		Pheniceum. Seedlings; crimson-rose, lilac and white; large and showy30 cts. each 3 00	
heads of purple flowers. H 1½, F 9 to 10 1 50  Acre	6 00	Pannosum. Sulphur-yellow flowers; new species, with white foliage	
growing about 9 inches high, and producing an abundance of rich velvety dark blue flowers 100	6 0 <b>0</b>	VERBENA venosa. A hardy Verbena; very extensively used in England for bedding. It grows about 18 inches high, but pegged down will cover the ground	
SEA HOLLY. See Eryngium.		with heads of lovely purple-violet flowers through- out the season. Not quite hardy, except on thoroughly well-drained soils	8 00
<b>SILENE Virginica</b> (Indian Pink). One of the best native plants, which should be grown in every garden; brilliant crimson-scarlet flowers that are pro-		VERONICA longifolia. Spikes of deep blush purple	0 00
duced in the greatest profusion in May 1 25	8 00	flowers; very handsome. H 2, F 8 to 9 2 00  Spicata. Violet-blue flowers in long spikes; dwarf	
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spirate palmata. Broad clusters of the most beautiful crimson flowers, above splendid palmate foliage. H 2, F 7 to 8	10.00	Amethystina	
Palmata elegans. A lovely new variety with light pink flowers. H2, F7 to 8	10 00	for carpeting under trees where grass will not grow 1 25	8 00
Astilboides. A splendid white variety	12 00	VIOLA pedata (Bird's-foot Violet). A beautiful native sort	6 OC
Ulmaria 1 50		Pedata bicolor. Deep purple flowers	8 00
Aruncus. A grand native sort, with great heads of white flowers. H 3 to 5, F 6 to 7	13 00	is the most desirable of hardy plants. Blooms continuously all season; blue flowers	10 00
Filapendula fl. pl. A beautiful dwarf variety, with elegant fern-like foliage. H ½, F 6 to 7	8 00	WAHLENBERGIA grandiflora 1 75 Grandillora alba 1 75	12 00 12 00
Lobata. One of the handsomest of the Spireas, with deep rosy carmine flowers. H 1½ to 3, F 6 1 50		YUCCA filamentosa (Spanish Bayonet). Fine, strong	14 00
STACHYS lanata. White woolly leaves and purple flowers; useful for edging. H 1, F 7 1 00	5 00	plants; a stately decorative plant, with immense spikes of large white flowers; fine for the garden or lawn	16 00
STATICE latifolia         1 50           Armeria (Sea Pink)         1 25	10 00 8 00	The above Yucca is also known as the Mexican Soap Plant.	10 00
SWEET WILLIAM. See Dianthus barbatus.		Angustifolia 2 00	12 00



SPECIMEN RHUS COTINUS (From English "Country Life")

#### Novelties in Shrubs

Of the following shrubs, those marked with an asterisk (\*) have been fully tested in this country, and I have seen them and can vouch The others come from reputable foreign sources, and the descriptions of introducers are given. The plants sent out for the descriptions. of new varieties of shrubs are always much smaller than those of old sorts.

CRATEGUS Carrieri. Beautiful variety of thorn, with large, deep green, glossy foliage, remaining on the tree until December. Gives a quantity of large white flowers, turning rosy afterward. The fruits are small scarlet medlars, eatable, having the taste of an apple, and being the size of a large cherry. The nice foliage and quantity of fruits make it a remarkable small tree or shrub. \$1.25.

CYDONIA Japonica Columbia. The fruit of this new Japan Quince is said to be edible, measuring 8 to 10 inches in circumference; greenish yellow, very fragrant. 50 c. Japonica Maulei superba (Japan Quince). Large, bright red flowers,

darker than C. Maulei; vigorous, blooms abundantly. 75 cts.

\*CORNUS brachypoda variegata. The most striking variegated shrub in cultivation; large leaf of grand effect. \$1.

DEUTZIA hybrida Lemoinei. Beautiful variety, hybrid of Deutzia gracilis (D. parviflora); blooms early, regularly; the branches are entirely covered with erect panicles, bearing 15 to 25 pure white and well-opened flowers, of a new aspect in Deutzias. cts. each, \$2.50 per doz.

Small shrub, reaching hardly 5 feet in height; branches straight; leaves elliptical, dentated and reticulated with dark green; gives a profusion of beautiful white flowers; fine

novelty. 25 cts.

FORSYTHIA Fortunei variegata aurea. Fine novelty; leaves with a large golden yellow margin. Requires to be planted in a sunny place; very vigorous, and as free-flowering as the type. 25c.

HAMAMELIS Japonica Zuccariniana (Japanese Witch Hazel). Leaves dark green; flowers lemon-yellow, in axillary clusters. Very curious on account of its being the only shrub that will produce flowers outdoors in winter time in this country. \$1.

MALUS floribunda Scheideckerii (Crab Apple). This new Crab Apple is a seedling of Malus floribunda, which we have always considered the most ornamental flowering small tree in cultivation. This new variety is said to be a great improvement. 75 cts.

PHILADELPHUS Falconeri. Introduced from China or Japan. Hardy, attaining 9 feet in height; branches thin; leaves small, lanceolate; blooms in small panicles at the end of axillary branches; flowers formed of four sharp-pointed petals, pure white. 35 cts.

Lemoinei (Mock Orange). A fine new sort of P. microphyllus;

very large flowers, highly scented. 50 cts.

Lemoinei Avalanche. Branches attaining 5 to 6 feet, bent by weight of flowers; flowers very large, covering the branches; sweet scented; a superb new sort. 35 cts.

emoinei erectus. Forming an erect bush; the branches are entirely covered with little flowers of the purest white and very Lemoinei erectus. 30 cts. fragrant.

Lemoinei "Mont Blanc." Grows 5 feet high; erect branches entirely covered with large, fragrant flowers. 50 cts.
Silver Ball." Flowers large; double, sweet-scented; fine.

Silver Ball." 50 cts, each.

Pekinensis. Lately introduced from the mountains of Pekin. 40c. \*RHUS Cotinus atropurpurea. This is a marked improvement on the well-known Purple Fringe, which we have always considered

one of the handsomest shrubs in cultivation. This shrub makes a splendid specimen. The introducer describes the plumes as scarlet, which is hardly true, but they are much deeper in color than those of the old variety. 75 cts. each.

SAMBUCUS racemosa tenuifolia. Beautiful hardy variety, with fine deeply cut green foliage. The plant in its aspect much resembles some varieties of the Japanese maple. 75 cts. each.

\*VIBURNUM dilatatum. Not new, but very scarce; one of the best of the Viburnums; grows 8 to 9 feet high; small white flowers in June. The fruit is beautiful orange-red and ripens in September. \$1.

A new everblooming Weigela of great \*WEIGELA Eva Rathke. beauty; vigorous, and flowers all summer; flowers large, crimson-red. A great acquisition that will become immensely popular. 20 cts each, \$2 per doz.

Conquete. Flowers enormous. The largest flowered variety, deep

rose, measuring 1½ to 2 inches across. 35 cts.

Præcox. Japanese sort; vigorous; branches erect; flowers carmine-rose, throat marked with yellow stripes; blooms 3 to 4 weeks before the other sorts. 75 cts.

# A Few Shrubs of Exceptional Merit

All of the Shrubs offered in the general list that follows are desirable, and have their special uses. Some of them are as fine as any sescribed below, but are too well known to need special description; but no grounds are so small that they should not include all of the following:

BERBERIS Thunbergii. The nurserymen all unite in praising this splendid shrub, and it deserves all the praise it gets, but the price has been kept pretty high. I have a large stock grown and offer it at about half current prices, so that my customers can afford to plant it freely. It has every good quality-beautiful habit, fine foliage, free-flowering qualities-but its greatest charm is the great quantities of crimson berries which it produces in the summer, and which remain on the bushes all winter, making it very effective in the winter landscape. It is also fine for cutting for house decoration, almost equal to the holly, which cannot be grown very well north of Washington or east of Philadelphia. This Berberis makes a splendid untrimmed hedge, and our low prices make it available for that purpose. 20 cts. each, \$2 per doz., \$13 per 100. Stronger plants, 25 cts. each, \$2.50 per doz., \$16 per 100. Extra strong plants, 30 cts. each, \$3.25 per doz., \$25 per 100.

HYDRANGEA arborescens grandiflora. This is a splendid improvement on our native Hydrangea. It has large panicles of pure white flowers ranging from 6 to 10 inches across and is in bloom from July until frost, and is undoubtedly one of the most valuable shrubs introduced for many years. It will thrive in either sun or shade. 30 cts. each, \$3 per doz.

HYDRANGEAS, Standard. Of the well-known hardy Hydrangea we have secured some fine standards. 50 cts, each.

LIGUSTRUM Regelianum. The California privet has gained an immense popularity for hedging, which it does not deserve, as it is not reliably hardy, and in this climate every severe winter injures it, and sometimes it is frozen to the ground. The beautiful, graceful Regel's Privet is absolutely hardy and more desirable in every way. It is a dense shrub with stiff, twiggy, horizontal, spreading branches, drooping at the ends. An elegant shrub for specimens, massed planting or hedges. We believe it will become one of the most popular varieties as soon as it is better known. It forms a graceful, symmetrical bush, sufficiently dense for hedge purposes without trimming. As a single specimen or in a border of mixed shrubs it is most effective. It also gives pleasing effects when massed against buildings or on slopes or banks. Price, 20 cts. each, \$2 per doz., \$12 per 100.

Amurense (Amoor Privet). A more slender grower than the common Privet. Hardier than the California, while the foliage is finer and of a lighter green, and retains a better color during the winter. It makes a more satisfactory hedge than the California, and should be more extensively planted. 20 cts. each, \$2 per doz., \$12 per 100.

RHUS Cotinus. This is a common old shrub, that almost everybody knows under the name of "Purple Fringe" or "Smoke Tree," but it is almost never seen in perfection on account of being ruined by pruning. In good soil, and allowed to develop naturally, it in time makes one of the finest things imaginable, which is well shown by the illustration taken from English Country Life. 25 cts. each, \$2.50 per doz.

RUBUS odoratus. This is the Flowering Raspberry, which grows wild by the tens of thousands in many parts of this Rubus odoratus, continued

country. We want to call especial attention to it, for nothing can be better for covering steep and partially shaded banks. It does best on moist north hillsides. It makes masses of most pleasing and effective foliage, and its large purplish red flowers are produced all summer. 20 cts. each, \$1.25 per doz., \$8 per 100.

Since the above was written we have tested the shrub in our experimental grounds, and have found it one of the most beautiful shrubs in our collection and one of the easiest culture. If it never bloomed, its foliage would make it entirely satisfactory. It was planted in full exposure to the sun, in ordinary garden soil.

VIBURNUM Opulus nanum. A most interesting little Snowball, never growing over 2 feet high, and as compact and globular in form as a sheared evergreen. We do not believe this shrub flowers, at least we have never seen it in bloom, but it is sufficiently attractive without flowers. Where a small shrub of formal shape is desired, nothing can be better. Splendid specimens, which are broader than they are high, 75 cts. each, \$8 per doz.

tomentosum. We think this one of the most beautiful and satisfactory shrubs in cultivation. Closely allied to the Japanese Snowball, but much hardier, in fact, perfectly hardy. More vigorous in growth and much handsomer foliage, which turns a beautiful wine-red in the fall. Either for planting in masses or as specimen it cannot be surpassed. As a specimen it makes a perfect-shaped bush ten feet high and as many feet across. Its beautiful white flowers are produced in May. Strong plants, 35 cts. each, \$3.50 per doz., \$25 per 100.

sambucus pubens. This is the Red-Berried Elderberry which grows so plentifully in the Adirondacks. It is a vigorous, free-growing shrub that does equally well in sun or shade. The flowers are inconspicuous; but the fruit, which is most freely produced, is extremely effective, being a brilliant crimson in color, which contrasts splendidly with its fine foliage It is the first shrub to ripen its fruit, being in full color by end of May, when the common Elderberry is in bloom. 20c. each, \$2 per doz., \$15 per 100.



BERBERIS THUNBERGII

# Ornamental Flowering Shrubs

(SHIPPED PRINCIPALLY FROM STATION NEAR PITTSBURG)

#### SPECIAL OFFER OF SHRUBS

We want to encourage the planting of shrubs. To be effective they should be planted in masses, but when dealers or nurserymen ask fifty cents each for easily grown shrubs there is not much encouragement to plant them freely. We have made arrangements by which we can supply our customers with well-grown shrubs in the best varieties at the extremely low prices quoted below, but in every instance the selection of varieties must be left to us. But in ordering, if it is stated that certain shrubs are not wanted they will not be sent. We guarantee these shrubs to be satisfactory in both quality and variety.

 SPECIAL OFFER A- 50 shrubs in fine assortment of 15 varieties.
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ALMOND, Dwarf Double-flowering Pink\$0 25	\$2 50	
Dwarf Double-flowering White	,	\$13 00
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ALTHÆA, Buist's Variegated. Exceptionally fine		
for hedging purposes, as well as for produc- ing marked contrasts in groups of mixed		
shrubbery	2 50	16 00
Double. Fine distinct named varieties 20	2 00	14 00
Single Dwarf White. Pure snow-white; fine 20	2 00	14 00
Seedlings. Mixed colors, single and semi-double. 15	1 50	10 00
Jeanne d'Arc. A new perfectly double, pure	1 00	10 00
white flower, and a great acquisition. It su-		
persedes all the so-called double white varie-		
ties, being entirely immaculate	2 00	15 00
AMELANCHIER Canadensis (Juneberry) 20	2 00	)
Botryapium20	2 00	)
AMORPHA fruticosa	2 00	,
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ANDROMEDA Mariana	2 00	)
ARALIA Japonica. 3 to 4 feet 50	5 00	)
<b>AZALEAS.</b> Should always be planted in the spring or early in September.		
Amona. A lovely evergreen variety, with rosy		
purple flowers 50	5 00	)
Arborescens. A strong-growing native species,		
with very fragrant rose-colored flowers. 12	5 00	40 00
to 18 inches; fine plants	5 00	40 00
Calendulacea. A splendid native Azalea. 18 to 24 inches; fine	6 00	40 00

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	AZALEA, Ghent. 18 inches\$6	ach 75	Per \$8		16	10
	Mollis. 8 to 12 inches		3	50	\$25	00
	" 12 to 18 inches; with bloom buds;		~	00	0.5	00
	splendid plants  Nudiflora. A native species, with fragrant pink		Э	00	39	00
	flowers		5	00		
	Vaseyi. Fine plants	75	8	00		
	BERBERIS dulcis nana. Very neat, dwarf, com-					
	pact variety; almost evergreen		2	50	20	00
	Sieboldi		2	00		
	Japonica. Similar to Thunbergii, but more		0	=0	10	00
	Thunbergii. One of the most desirable shrubs		2	50	10	00
	in cultivation on account of its habit, foliage					
	and fruit; fine for an untrimmed hedge			00		00
	Small plants		_	00 75	_	00
	Vulgaris		_	00		00
	· · ·		_		13	00
	BUDDLEIA curviflora		_	00 50		
	Lindleyana		2	90		
	<b>CALLICARPA</b> purpurea. A pretty little shrub with small pink flowers and a great profusion					
	of violet-colored berries in autumn		2	00	13	00
	CALYCANTHUS floridus (Sweet-scented Shrub)	20	1	75	13	00
	CARAGANA arborescens	40	4	00		
	CARPINUS Americana (American Hornbeam)	20	2	00		
	CARYOPTERIS Mastacanthus (Blue Spirea)	20	2	00		
	CASSIA Marylandica	15	1	25	6	00
١	CEANOTHUS Americanus		1	50		
I	CEPHALANTHUS occidentalis	20	2	00	12	CO
	CERCIS Japonica (Japanese Red Bud). This is one of the most beautiful, large-growing	5				
	shrubs in cultivation. It should be generally planted		3	00		
	CHIONANTHUS Virginica (White Fringe)	50	5	00		
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CORNUS SERICEA (See page 49)



DEUTZIA GRACILIS					
	ch	Per	doz.	. 10	00
clethra alnifolia. A splendid summer-blooming shrub, with delicious odor\$0	25	\$1	75	\$13	00
COLUTEA arborescens	20	1	75	13	00
CORNUS alba, sanguinea, mascula, sericea, sto-					
lonifera and Sibirica	20	1	75	13	00
Elegantissima variegata. Same as above, but with white variegation	40	4	00		
Spathii. Beautiful golden leaves	50	5	00		
<b>CORCHORUS</b> Japonica (Kerria Japonica). Single yellow; blooms freely in summer time	20	2	00		
Japonica fl. pl. A superb summer-blooming shrub, with showy double yellow flowers	20	2	00		
Japonica variegata. A dwarf shrub, with beau-		_			
tiful, graceful foliage. A dainty, charming shrub that should be freely planted	20	2	00	13	00
CORYLUS Americana (American Hazelnut)	25	2	50		
Avellana (English Hazelnut)	25		50		
Cosford (Large-fruited Hazelnut)			50		
Laciniata. Finely cut fern-like foliage	25		50		
Purpureus (Purple Hazel). Rich purple foliage.	40		00		
COTONEASTER microphylla. Evergreen variety	20		00		
Simonsi	20 20		00		
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CRATÆGUS coccinea (American Hawthorn) Crus-galli (Cockspur Hawthorn)	25 25	_	50 50	10	00
Oxyacantha (English Hawthorn)	20		50	10	00
Double-flowered Rose	40	_	00	10	00
Double-flowered Scarlet	25	2	50		
Double-flowered White	25	2	50		
Pyracantha Lalandi (Evergreen Thorn). One of					
the most beautiful Thorns. Covered with splendid scarlet fruit in fall and winter	25	2	50	15	00
CYDONIA Japonica (Japan Quince). Brilliant red.			00		00
Japonica candida. White-flowered	20		00	11	00
Japonica Maulei. Orange-colored flowers, very		_			
distinct shade	25	2	50		
CYTISUS Laburnum (Laburnum or "Golden					
Chain')	30		50		
	30	3	00		
<b>DESMODIUM penduliflorum.</b> An exceedingly graceful shrub-like plant, covered with flowers in summer-time when little else is in bloom;					
strikingly beautiful	25	2	75		
Japonicum. White	25	2	50		
DEUTZIA candidissima, crenata fl. pl., and Pride					
of Rochester.	20	_	00		00
Gracilis. Transplanted; nice clumps Scabra	15 20		50 75	10	00
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DIERVILLA sessilifolia	Per \$2	doz.	10	O
DIMORPHANTHUS Mandshuricus. A very orna- mental shrub, with long multifid leaves, im- parting a decidedly subtropical aspect to a				
group; 2 to 3 feet	3	00		
DIRCA palustris (Leatherwood). 12 to 15 in 30	3	00		
ELÆAGNUS angustifolius (Silver Thorn) 20	) 1	50		
Longipes. A new and handsome shrub with edible fruit. True variety	1 4	25		
Parvifolius (Silver Thorn)		00		
Umbellatus		50		
EUONYMUS atropurpureus (American Burning				
Bush)	2	50		
Europæus (European Burning Bush) 25	2	25		
EXOCHORDA Alberti	3	00		
Grandiflora. A rare Chinese shrub, with pure white flowers	) 2	00	\$12	01
FONTANESIA Filariæfolia	) 1	75		
FORSYTHIA Fortunei viridissima 20	) 1	75	13	0
Suspensa 20	) 2	00	13	01
GENISTA scoparia (Scotch Broom) 2	) 1	5 <b>0</b>		
HALESIA diptera 30	) 3	00		
<b>Tetraptera</b> (Silver Bell). This variety is one of the most beautiful flowering shrubs in cul-				
tivation 2	) 2	00		
HAMAMELIS Virginica (Witch Hazel). Blooms in late fall and early winter	) 3	00		
HIPPOPHAË rhamnoides (Sea Buckthorn) 1	5 1	00		
HYDRANGEA arborescens	5 1	50		
Paniculata, Distinct from P. grandiflora. A		00		
very striking and elegant shrub 20	) 2	00		



HYDRANGEA PANICULATA GRANDIFLORA

	Per doz.	100
HYDRANGEA paniculata grandiflora. The well-known hardy Hydrangea	\$2 00	
Quercifolia (Oak-leaved Hydrangea). Very handsome	5 00	
Radiata. Handsome native variety; fine for naturalizing	1 75	
HYPERICUM Ascyron	2 50	
Calycinum 20	2 00	
Densiflorum	2 00	
Moserianum. Extremely beautiful and desirable;		
large golden-yellow flowers 20	2 00	\$12 00
Patulum	2 00	14 00
Prolificum	2 00	14 00
ILEX verticillata (Deciduous Holly). Valuable for its brilliant scarlet berries in fall and winter 20	2 00	
ITEA Virginica 20	1 75	
LESPEDEZA bicolor. 18 to 24 inches 30	3 25	
LILAC, Common Purple, 3 to 4 feet	1 50 2 00	$\frac{10\ 00}{12\ 00}$
<b>Common White.</b> 1½ to 2 feet	1 50	10 00
$2\frac{1}{2}$ to 3 feet	2 00	13 00
Persian. White and purple; small flowers. 3 to 4 feet	2 50	16 06

#### NEW VARIETIES OF LILACS

Strong, 2-year budded plants (described below). For prices of named Lilacs, grown on their own roots, see page 20.

Bertha Dammann. Immense trusses of pure white flowers; very profuse bloomer. 35 cts. each.

Emily Lemoine. Double; very large rosy lilac flowers; fine. 35 ets. each, \$3.50 per doz.

Flore pleno. One of the oldest of the double Lilacs, and an excellent kind. Simply a double Vulgaris. Large and fine. 35 cts. each, \$3.50 per doz.

Marie Legraye. The best white Lilac in cultivation. 35 cts. each, \$3.50 per doz.

President Carnot. Double; lilac with white center. 50 cts. each, \$5 per doz.

President Grevy. A beautiful blue; individual. Very double and very large; one of the finest Lilacs. 50 cts. each, \$5 per doz.

Souvenir de la Spath. The most distinct and beautiful variety in the collection. Trusses immense; very compact; florets very large, deep purplish red. Growth vigorous. 2 to 3 feet. 35 cts. each, \$3.50 per doz.

Virginite. Double, large, tender rose. 35 cts. each, \$3.50 per doz.



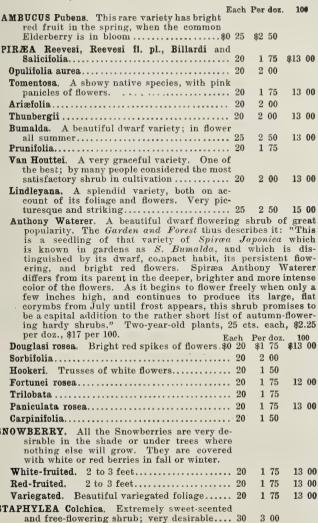
EMILY LEMOINE LILAC



PHILADELPHUS CORONARIUS

Ea	eh	Per	doz.	16	90
LILAC Josikea (Chionanthus-leaved Lilac). A very distinct and beautiful species\$0	30	\$3	00		
Japonica. A new and unique species from Japan, attaining the size of a tree, with large panicles of white flowers; foliage very large, thick and deep green color	35	3	50	<b>\$</b> 25	00
foliage resembling the White Fringe (Chionanthus), and producing immense panicles of white flowers late in the season	25	2	50		
	25	2	50		
Saugeana. One of the Persian Lilacs; reddish flowers	20	2	00		
LONICERA Morrowi (Upright Honeysuckle). One of the most desirable shrubs in cultivation, both on account of its flowers and fruit, which are borne in great abundance	90	0	00	13	00
		_	00	15	00
Ruprechtiana	20	2	00		
	50	5	00		
Grandiflora Large red bloom	20	2	00	13	00
Tatarica, Pink flowers	20	2	00	13	00
Tatarica alba. White flowers	20	2	00	13	00
	20	2	00		
Fragrantissima. A very early sweet-scented species.	25	2	50		
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PHILADELPHUS aureus (Syringa, or Mock	20	,	75		
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Dianthæilora plena. Double-flowering. 2 to 3	20	-	00		
feet	20	2	00		
	20	2	00		
Nepalensis variegata	20	2	00		
PRIVET, California The California Privet is unsurpassed for hedging, being hardy, free from disease, bears shearing well, grows rapidly and is very attractive; special prices quoted by the thousand. 3 to 4 feet; unusually fine. 2½ to 3 feet; 2-year branched	12		50 25 60		00 00 00

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PRIVET, Variegated-leaved. An elegant new form, standing the sun well and always very					SAMBUCUS Po
distinct. 3 to 4 feet\$0	25	\$2 5	50		Elderber
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Chinese. A rare variety, with beautiful foliage.		2 5			Salicifoli
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Common. Desirable for hedging and hardier than California Privet		1 (	n ec	00	Tomentosa.
Ligustrum Media. A new variety of beautiful	10	1 (	νυ φυ	00	panicles
habit; fruits immensely	25	2 :	50		Ariæfolia
POTENTILLA fruticosa				00	Thunbergii
		2 5	00 13	00	Bumalda.
PRUNUS Sinensis rubra. A dwarf Chinese Plum					all sumn
of great beauty. Double red flowers	25	2 5	50		Prunifolia
Maritima (Beach Plum). Dwarf bush Plum,					Van Houtte
which makes an extremely ornamental shrub on account of its flowers as well as its fruit,					the best;
which is produced on bushes when only 2					satisfact
feet high. The fruit is edible and makes an					Lindleyana.
excellent preserve		2 :	50		count of
Pissardi (Purple-leaved Plum). Desirable on					turesque
account of its rich purple foliage	20	2 (	00		Anthony W
Triloba. A desirable flowering Plum; very					populari is a se
beautiful	25	2 5	50		is know
PYRUS arbutifolia (Choke Berry). A native					tinguish
shrub of great beauty and easy culture. Cov-					ering, a
ered with white flowers early in spring, fol-					differs fr
lowed by bright red berries which last all winter	20	2 (	00		few inch
					corymbs
RHUS copallina (Shining-leaved Sumac)		3 5			be a capi
Cotinus (Purple Fringe)		2 3			ing hard
Glabra laciniata (Cut-leaved Sumac)		2 3	50		per doz.
Typhina (Common Sumac)	20	1 8	50 10	00	Douglasi ro
Osbeckii	30	3 (	00		Sorbifolia
Aromatica	40				Hookeri.
					Fortunei ro
RHODOTYPUS kerrioides		2 (	JU		Trilobata
RIBES aureum (Missouri Currant)	20	2 (	00 13	00	Paniculata
Gordonianum	20	2 (	00		Carpinifolia
ROBINIA hispida (Rose-flowered Acacia). Ex-					SNOWBERRY
tremely free-flowering and attractive		2 (	00		sirable
RUBUS odorata	20	1 :	osi o	00	nothing
Fruticosa		1 4	20 C	00	with wh
					White-fruit
SAMBUCUS Canadensis (Common Elderberry).					Red-fruited
Very striking when planted in rich soil		1			Variegated
Canadensis aurea (Golden-leaved Elderberry)		2		00	STAPHYLEA
Laciniata (Cut-leaved Elderberry)	20	2	00		and free





SPIRÆA ANTHONY WATERER

STYRAX Japonica. This rare gem is one of the most desirable shrubs known. When in bloom it is literally covered with cream-white bells. 30 cts. each, \$3 per doz., \$20 per 100.

STEPHANANDRA flexuosa. A very graceful shrub, with deeply cut fern-like foliage. 20 cts. each, \$2 per doz.

TAMARIX Gallica (T. Chinensis). 2 to 3 feet. 20 cts. each, \$2 per doz.

Tetranda (T. Africana). Very attractive species. 2 to 3 feet. 20 cts. each, \$2 per doz.

Indica. 20 cts. each, \$2 per doz.

Japonica. 20 cts. each, \$1.50 per doz.

VIBURNUM Lantana. 25 cts. each, \$2.50 per doz.

Opulus sterilis (Snowball). 20 cts. each, \$2 per doz.

Opulus nana. Very dwarf. Specimens 75 cts. each, \$8 per doz.

Oxycoccus (Cranberry Tree). 30 cts. each, \$3 per doz., \$20 per 100.

Plicatum (Japan Snowball). One of the choicest shrubs. 30 cts. each, \$3 per doz., \$20 per 100.

Dilatatum. \$1 each.

Tomentosum. Rare and choice. 40 cts.

VIBURNUM Acerifolium. 30 cts. each, \$3

Dentatum. A most beautiful and satisfactory shrub. 35 cts. each, \$3.50 per doz.

Sieboldi (Reticulatum). 50 cts. each, \$5 per doz.

Macrocephalum. A rare variety of great beauty. 75 cts. each.

VITEX Agnus-castus (Chaste Shrub), Blue. 20 cts. each, \$1.50 per doz.

White. 20 cts. each, \$1.50 per doz.

WEIGELA candida. We are now prepared to supply this charming white Weigela in large lots. Decidedly the most desirable of its color. 20 cts. each, \$2 per doz.

Rosea. A heavy stock of fine plants. 20 cts. each, \$2 per doz.

Rosea nana variegata (Variegated-leaved).
1 to 3 feet. 20 cts. each, \$2 per doz.

Othello. Dark rose. 25 cts. each, \$2.50

per doz.

Floribunda. Crimson. 25 ets. each, \$2.50 per doz.

Abel Carriers. Dark rose flowers; fine foliage. 20 cts. each, \$2 per doz.

**XANTHOCERAS sorbifolia.** New and beautiful. 75 cts. each.

XANTHORRHIZA apiifolia. 8 to 12 inches. 25 cts. each, \$2.50 per doz.



RHODODENDRON MAXIMUM

#### **EVERGREEN SHRUBS**

All Evergreen Shrubs should be planted ear		
AUCUBA Japonica		
BERBERIS Neuberti. Holly-shaped leaves; very		
handsome	20	2 00
Dulcis. Dwarf and neat	20	2 00
BUXUS Chinensis latifolia 1	00	10 00
Chinensis longifolia. $1\frac{1}{2}$ to 2 feet 1	25	
2 to 2½ feet 1	00	10 00
Chinensis rotundifolia	00	10 00
18 to 24 inches	80	8 00
Myrtifolia. Perfectly hardy 1	00	10 00
EUONYMUS Japonica	50	
ILEX opaca (American Holly)	75	
<b>Crenata.</b> A dwarf Holly of beautiful habit and foliage; perfectly hardy, and covered		
with black berries in the winter	85	9 00

	ch	Per	doz.	100
KALMIA latifolia. Known as the Small-leaved				
Mountain Laurel. One of the most beautiful				
flowering shrubs in cultivation. Nice, small				
nursery-grown plants. 12 to 14 inches \$0	50	\$5	00	
LEUCOTHOE Catesbæi. Graceful evergreen shrub,				
with white, bell-shaped flowers	25	2	50	
MAHONIA aquifolium	20	2	00	\$12 00
RHODODENDRON maximum. Our well-known				
Mountain Rhododendron, blooming in July.				
Nice nursery-grown plants	50	5	00	
Larger plants, \$1, \$1.50, \$2, \$3, \$4 and				
\$5 each. Plants \$3 to \$5 each are splendid				
specimens.				
Catawbiense. The wild Rhododendron of the				
southern mountains; very desirable. Fine				
nursery-grown plants	50	5	00	

# Ornamental Deciduous Trees

The following list of trees is selected from the best nurseries in the United States. Orders will be shipped from the nearest nursery that can supply stock ordered, so as to save freight charges and secure quickest possible delivery; where stock is ordered in considerable variety, it is sometimes shipped from two or more nurseries to secure trees of the best qualities. We always endeavor to secure the best stock in the market for our customers. The prices quoted are for trees of the most suitable size for transplanting; extra-large trees of many varieties can be supplied, but are not recommended. If quick results are desired they can be had by taking sma. and medium-sized, but perfectly vigorous and healthy trees; for instance, dig a hole 4 feet deep and 4 feet in diameter for each tree, and fill with all good surface soil, mixed with one-fourth its bulk of rotted stable manure.

It costs considerable to plant trees in this manner, but the results justify the expense, and people often pay from \$10 to \$50 each for larger trees, which always fail, generally dying outright within three years, and never making vigorous, healthy trees. Some kinds of trees may be safely planted much larger than others. Magnolias, Beeches, Tulip Trees and white-leaved Linden are difficult to transplant, and small-sized trees of these should always be selected. Some varieties should always be planted in the fall, others in the spring, and we will be glad to advise our customers on these and other points in regard to planting.

Lowest net prices will be quoted for trees by the 100 and 1,000 on application. Specially desirable trees are marked with asterisk (\*).

AILANTHUS glandulosa. Female trees, which are	*
almost free from disagreeable odor\$0 75 \$8 00	
ALDER, Cut-leaved	
LUER, Cut-leaved. 1 25 European 75 8 00	1

*ANDROMEDA arborea (Sorrel Tree). A scarce and	ch P	er doz.
extremely beautiful flowering tree. 2½ to 3 feet.\$0	50	<b>\$</b> 5 <b>00</b>
ALDIZ IZMOTOMI COMPANION CONTRACTOR CONTRACT	65	6 50
English	60	6 00

BALM OF GILEAD. See Poplars.	Ea	ch	Per d	oz.
<b>BEECH.</b> The Beeches are the noblest of trees, but are of slow growth and difficult to transplant, Small trees should always be selected and well pruned when planted.				
American	\$1	50	\$16	00
*English		70	7	00
*Fern-leaved	1	50		
*Cut-leaved	1	00	10	00
*Purple-leaved	1	50	16	00
*Weeping	1	50	16	00
*BIRCH, European White		50	5	00
*Cut-leaved Weeping	1	00	·	00
Purple		00	10	00
Paper	•	75		50
Red	1	00		00
Sweet	-	75	10	•
Plant Birches in the spring.				
BUTTONWOOD. See Sycamore.				
CATALPA Bungei (Indian Bean or Cigar Tree).				
Standard	1	25	12	00
Large specimens, \$3, \$5, \$7.50 and \$10 each.				
Umbrella-headed tree used for formal effects.				
Bungei. Grafted at the ground		50	5	00
Speciosa. Our native variety		50	5	0 <b>0</b>
CERCIS Canadensis (American Judas Tree)		30	3	00
Japonica (Japanese Judas Tree)		30	3	00
CHERRY, European Bird		40	4	00
American Wild		60	6	00
Double-flowered White		80	8	00
Double-flowered Pink		80	8	00
Rose-flowered (Weeping Japanese). Unique and				
beautiful flowering tree that should be in every				
collection	2	00		
CLADRASTIS tinctoria (Virgilia lutea)	1	00	10	00
CRAB APPLE. The ornamental Crab Apples are undoubtedly the most beautiful small-flowering trees in cultivation; even more beautiful than the popular Magnolias. They are of the easiest culture, hardy, and bloom when quite small.				
*Parkman's (Pyrus Parkmani)		75	7	50
*Bechtel's New Double-flowered		75		00
*Japanese (Pyrus Toringo). Extremely beautiful		60		00
		60	_	00
*Common Wild (Pyrus coronaria)			_	00
Double White (Pyrus spectabilis)		60	ь	00



STANDARD CATALPA BUNGEI

RAB APPLE, Malus flexilis. A splendid sort, with E red fruit\$6		
Floribunda. Single-flowered, pink; one of the most beautiful	75	7 50
Kaido. Flowers single, white and pink, followed by small fruit in clusters; very ornamental	50	5 0 <b>0</b>



DOUBLE-FLOWERED WHITE CHERRY				
CYPRESS, Deciduous		75	8	00
*DOGWOOD, White-flowering		40	-	00
*Red-flowering		75	8	00
Weeping		75	8	00
• •	1	00	10	00
	1	00	10	00
Camperdown Weeping	2	00		
*HONEY LOCUST, American		60	6	00
*HORSE CHESTNUT, American or Buckeye	1	00		
White-flowering	1	00	10	00
Double White	1	50	17	00
Red-flowering	2	00		
KENTUCKY COFFEE TREE (Gymnocladus Cana-				
	ŧ	00		
KELREUTERIA paniculata		75	8	00
LARCH, European		40	4	50
LINDEN, American		80	8	00
*White or Silver-leaved. A superb tree	1	50		00
European		75	8	00
Golden-barked		80	8	00
Large-leaved (Tilia platyphylla)				00
White-leaved Weeping. A splendid pendulous tree.	1			00
LIQUIDAMBAR styraciflua (Sweet Gum)		75	7	<b>50</b>
MAGNOLIA acuminata (Cucumber Tree)		75		
Glauca (Sweet Bay)		75	8	00
Macrophylla (Giant-flowered Magnolia). Flowers		00		
12 to 15 inches across				
Iripetala (Umorena Tree)	1	00		
CHINESE AND JAPANESE MAGNOLI	A	S		
MAGNOLIA conspicua. A superb large-flowered white Magnolia			Per d	los.
Purpurea (Obovata). Purple		50	\$5	08
*Soulangeana. White, pink center; a splendid sort				
that is literally covered with large flowers early				
in the spring. \$1.50, \$2 and \$3 each, according to size.				

#### ORNAMENTAL DECIDUOUS TREES, continued

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*MAGNOLIA hypoleuca. A choice Japanese variety			Per doz.
Parviflora (Watsoni). A very scarce and extremely	ÞI	90	
	1	50	
lovely Japanese variety	-	90	
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Kobus. A Japanese white variety	,	75	\$7 00 15 00
Gracilis. Purple flowers	1	50	15 00
Magnolias should be planted in the spring.			
MAPLE, Ash-leaved (Box Elder)		75	7 50
Colchicum rubrum		75	8 00
European Cork		75	7 50
English		75	8 00
Norway	1	00	10 00
Purple Norway	1	25	13 00
Schwedler's Purple	1	25	13 00
Silver-leaved (Water or soft)		50	5 00
Striped Bark (Acer Pennsylvanicum)		65	6 50
Sugar, or Rock		75	8 00
Sycamore		90	9 00
Wier's Cut-leaved		60	6 00
Red or Scarlet	1	00	$10 \ 00$
Small trees		60	6 00
Mountain (Acer spicatum). Small		35	3 50
Tartarian. Small		50	5 00
MOUNTAIN ASH, European		50	5 00
MULBERRY, New American		60	6 00
Downing's		50	5 00
Russian		40	4 00
White		40	4 00
Teas' Weeping	1	50	
NUTS, Almonds. Hard or soft shell		30	3 00
Chestnut, American		70	7 00
*Japan	1	00	10 00
Spanish		50	5 00
*Paragon	1	00	10 00
*Numbo	1	00	10 00
*Hickory (Shellbark)		50	5 00
Walnut, Black		40	4 00
English		75	7 50
Japanese		60	6 00
OAK. The planting of Oaks for ornament has been			
done but little on account of their supposed slow			
growth. They grow quite as rapidly as other hard-			
wood trees, and the Pin Oak is of very rapid			
growth, and one of the finest trees in cultivation.			

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*OAK, White. 3 to 4 feet	Each	Per d	oz.
Turkey, 5 feet	1 00		
*Scarlet. A grand tree, with splendid coloring in			
fall: 8 to 9 feet			
Laurel-leaved. 5 to 7 feet	2 00		
trees for avenue or lawn planting, and of very			
rapid growth. The great demand for this tree			
has made it very scarce; 5 to 6 feet	90	\$9	50
	1 00	10	
	$\frac{1}{1} \frac{50}{75}$	16 18	
	$\frac{1}{2} \frac{75}{00}$	22	
	5 00		00
Golden	1 50	16	00
	1 60		
	1 50		
OSTRYA Virginica (Iron Wood)	50		00
OSAGE ORANGE, 5 to 6 feet	.50	_	00
*PAULOWNIA imperialis (Empress Tree)	50	_	00
PEACH, Blood-leaved	25		50
Double-flowering. Pink, white and crimson	30	3	00
Persica magnifica. A new variety received from Europe. It is one of the most beautiful small-			
flowering trees in cultivation	75		
PERSIMMON, American.	50	5	00
PHOTINIA villosa. A very ornamental tree covered			
with red berries in fall and winter	60	5	00
PLANE. See Sycamore.			
PLUM, Purple-leaved (Prunus Pissardi)	25	2	50
POPLAR, Carolina	35	3	50
Lombardy	40	4	00
Pyramidal (Bolleana)	75		00
Golden	35		50
SilverBalsam (Balm of Gilead)	40 75	4	00
SALISBURIA adiantifolia (Ginkgo, or Maidenhair Tree)	75	0	00
,	10	0	00
SASSAFRAS. A small native tree; seldom used, but extremely desirable for its foliage	50	5	50
SOPHORA Japonica	35	_	50
SYCAMORE, Oriental. The Oriental Sycamore is ex-	99	3	90
tensively used in Europe for street planting	1 00	11	00
THORNS. See Hawthorn, under	1 00	11	30



### **EVERGREENS**

List of Evergreens is published in spring catalogue. They should always be planted in the spring.

# Azalea Indica

(For greenhouse culture)

Buyers desiring Azaleas in quantity or large specimens should write for special prices.

Per doz	. 100
Strong plants, with heads 9 to 12	
inches across	\$40 00
10 to 12 inches across 7 50	47 50
12 to 15 inches across	75 00
18 to 24 inches across, \$3.50 each.	
These prices hold good until December	1.

Large specimen plants from \$3 to \$10 each and upward.

Delivery will be made early in November, as soon as importations are received.

We can supply all the best sorts. Azaleas furnished by us have given unqualified satisfaction.



AZALEA INDICA



HEDGED GARDEN OF HARDY PLANTS (From English "Country Life")

# ORNAMENTAL HEDGES

Hedges can be used to advantage on all suburban and country places, large or small. Where protection against cattle is not needed a well-kept hedge is far more beautiful than the most costly wall or fence. At Newport, the most beautiful summer resort in America, hedges are very popular and are used more than either walls or fences. I have made arrangements for supplying all the best varieties of hedge plants at extremely low prices.

TRIMMED HEDGES		1
	Per :	100
CRATEGUS Oxyacantha (English Hawthorn). This is the Thorn that is used all over England for field and farm hedges. It is very attractive, being covered with white, sweet-scented flowers in the spring, and bright scarlet berries in the fall and winter. Nice plants, 24 to 48 inches high	\$12	00
lutely hardy and more desirable in every way. 20 cts. each, \$2 per doz., \$15 per 100. Smaller plants, 15 cts. each, \$1.50 per doz., \$10 per 100.		
HEMLOCK SPRUCE. This undoubtedly makes the most beautiful evergreen hedge that can be grown in this climate. It is perfectly hardy, a fine rich green in color, which color it retains all through the winter; and no matter how		
hard it is trimmed, the peculiar feathery appearance of its young growth always gives it a graceful appearance. Plant 18 to 24 inches apart. Nice young plants, 8 to 15 in. high. 15 to 18 inches	35	00
MAHONIA Aquifolium. This, which is one of the most beautiful evergreen shrubs, makes a splendid hedge. It is covered with showy yellow flowers in the spring, but its greatest beauty is its foliage, which is fine at all seasons of the year, but especially so in the fall and winter, when it turns to the finest bronze and crimson. It is especially desirable as a trimmed or untrimmed hedge. Plant 18 inches apart. I offer a splendid stock of plants, 12 to 18 inches high, at less		
than they can be bought for at wholesale	12	00
1 year, 12 to 15 inches	4 6 8	00 00 00 00
northern states, where California Privet is not hardy	0	00 [

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#### UNTRIMMED HEDGES

Untrimmed hedges are allowed to grow naturally without pruning, and, as a rule, are not suitable for planting on the boundaries of grounds, but can be used for enclosing flower or vegetable gardens, on the edge of terraces and along roads and walks. Sometimes they can be used to conceal unsightly but necessary fences. ALTHÆA (Rose of Sharon). These make a desirable flower-BERBERIS Thunbergii (Japanese Barberry). One of the most beautiful shrubs in cultivation, either for hedging or general purposes. It is of a neat, compact growth and never need be touched with the shears. The foliage is beautiful at all times, and in the fall turns to a most brilliant crimson color, but its most attractive feature is its fruit. The plant is literally covered with bright searlet berries all the fall and winter. It never grows over about three feet high. If a low hedge is desired, it can be used for a boundary one. It is fine for the edge of a terrace and along roads and walks; as it is quite thorny, boys and cattle will leave it alone. Plant 15 CORCHORIS Japonica variegata. This makes one of the daintiest little hedges imaginable. The growth is slender and graceful, the foliage is of fine form and variegated, and after the leaves drop in the fall the twigs are a bright green color, which makes it attractive all winter ....... 14 00 KALMIA latifolia (Mountain Laurel). This splendid native evergreen shrub makes a beautiful and unique hedge. would be worth growing for its fine evergreen foliage alone, but when it is in bloom in June, nothing in the world makes a finer floral display. Nice transplanted plants, 6 to 12 inches. 15 00 LILACS. The common Purple and White Lilacs make a desirable flowering hedge, but of course a very tall one. I can supply both colors, nice plants, 1 to 2 feet high........ 8 00 ROSE, Crimson Rambler. This remarkably fine climbing hedge and is desirable for planting along a fence......... 12 00 Mad. Plantier. This well-known hardy white Rose makes a fine hedge, and when in bloom in June nothing can be

more attractive...... 20 00



BORDER OF HYBRID PERPETUAL ROSES IN VEGETABLE GARDEN

# Roses for Fall Planting

Dormant Hardy Roses can be supplied from October 20 to April 1. Tea Roses all the year.

The fall is a much better time for planting Hardy Roses than the spring, and better plants and a better assortment of varieties can be obtained in the fall. Tea Roses all the year. In planting dormant Roses in the spring it is important that they should be planted as early as possible and two-thirds of their tops cut off before planting. All our Roses are American-grown and of the best quality obtainable. Hybrid Perpetuals and Moss Roses are principally low-budded plants; all other kinds are grown on their own roots.

Our collection of Wild Roses and old garden varieties is the most complete in America and contains many varieties not obtainable

elsewhere.

We must emphasize the importance of cutting back dormant Roses when planting. More Roses die in transplanting for lack of this precaution than for any other reason. In planting dormant Roses in our nursery we cut them back to within 3 inches of the ground and although this is never done until late in May, we rarely loose a plant.

If Roses are received in a dried condition it is a good plan to soak them in water for 24 hours before planting.

For late delivery we can supply many varieties of Roses grown in pots; but growing them in pots adds greatly to their cost, also to the cost of transportation. Prices of pot-grown will be furnished on application.

#### HYBRID PERPETUALS

Anne de Diesbach, Baron de Bonstettin, Coquette des Alpes, Earl Anne de Diesbach, Baron de Bonstettin, Coquette des Alpes, Earl of Dufferin, General Jacqueminot, Hermosa, Jules Margottin, Madame Plantier, Mme. Gabriel Luizet, Magna Charta, Victor Verdier, Paul Neyron, Prince Camille de Rohan, Clio (fine new white), Helen Keller, Margaret Dickson, Mrs. R. G. S. Crawford, Alfred Colomb, Baroness Rothschild, Fisher Holmes, La Reine, Marchioness of Lorne, Mrs. John Laing (one of the best, very free-flowering), Marchioness of Londonderry, Mabel Morrison, Ulrich Brunner, Coquette des Blanches, Captain Christy, Marshall P. Wilder, Mrs. Cleveland, Pierre Notting, Vick's Caprice, Caroline de Sansel, Climbing Jules Margottin, Countess de Serenye, General Washington, John Hopper, American Beauty, Caroline Marniesse, Captain Haywood, Hopper, American Beauty, Caroline Marniesse, Captain Haywood, Gloire Lyonnaise, John Keynes, Maurice Bernardin, Mme. Chas. Wood, Marchioness of Dufferin, Oakmont.

Two-year-old plants, 35 cts. each, \$3.50 per doz., \$25 per 100

MISCELLANEOUS ROSES Per doz. 100

Hybrid Teas.—Meteor, White La France. 4- and 5-

Hardy Yellow.—Persian and Harrison Yellow\$3	50	\$20	
Rugosa Rugosa rubra and alba, Mme. Geo. Bruant 3	00	20	00
Briar Rosa rubiginosa (Genuine Scotch Sweetbrier) 2	00	12	00
Climbing Roses Queen of Prairie, Baltimore Belle and			
Seven Sisters 2	50	15	00
Climbing Victor Verdier, Climbing Jules Margottin,			
Gem of Prairie and Tennessee Belle, Russell's			
Cottage 2	50	15	00
Dawson, 2 years, own roots 3		20	00
Tea and NoisetteHermosa, Niphetos, Lamarque,			
Testout 3	50	20	00
Bridesmaid, Mermet, Perle des Jardins, and all			
standard varieties 3	00	18	00
Marechal Niel	00		
Tree Roses. (Not recommended.) A fine lot of Hol-			
land-grown plants. Our assortment includes the			
cream of the hardy varieties, such as Baroness			
Luizet, Magna Charta, Brunner, etc20	00		
New Rugosa Rose (Blanche Double de Coubert). This			
is a new semi-double Rugosa Rose, with all the			
good qualities of the species and the most exqui-			
site semi double white flowers we have ever seen.			
35 cts. each 3	50		

Per doz. 100



NEW CLIMBING ROSE, WILLIAM C. EGAN

# Evergreen Roses

JERSEY BEAUTY (Wichuraiana × Perle des Jardins). Extremely vigorous grower; foliage shiny, thick, of leathery substance. Flowers singly or in clusters of two to four; large, single, three inches in diameter, opening pale yellow, with clusters of bright yellow stamens, which gives it a most striking appearance; fragrant and produced in greatest profusion, covering the plant entirely, and having the appearance of a yellow Cherokee Rose. Most striking variety of the set.

EVERGREEN GEM (Wichuraiana × Madam Hoste). The most wonderful grower of the set. Foliage fine rich bronze-color, closely matted. Flowers produced singly on stems; yellow, buff in bud, opening to almost white, two or three inches in diameter, perfectly double, and of a delightful sweetbrier fragrance.

GARDENIA (Wichuraiana × Perle des Jardins). Strong grower, with large green foliage. Flowers produced singly on stems one-half to one foot long. When in bud, hardly distinguishable from Perle des Jardins. Bright yellow, and when open cream-color; 3 to 3½ inches in diameter, incurving toward evening to perfect imitation of gardenia or cape jessamine as to shape and color, hence its name. Flowers are delightfully fragrant and produced freely. Grand Rose for any purpose.

NOTE.—These Roses have not proven evergreen in my garden, but they are very beautiful. Prices for the above Roses, 2-year-old plants, 30 cts. each, \$3 per doz.

# New Climbing Rose WILLIAM C. EGAN

This is a new, distinct and very desirable candidate for a position in our list of choicest climbing Roses. Being convinced of its many excellent properties, I have grown a large stock of healthy young plants, and take special pride in their dissemination. It was raised by Mr. Jackson Dawson, of the Arnold Arboretum, Boston, Mass., and is the product of Wichuraiana crossed by General Jacqueminot, without any trace of either

in the bloom. The habit of the plant is sub-climbing, but vigorous and healthy, with bright glossy foliage. The flower is large and very full, resembling in shape, as well as color, the Souvenir de la Malmaison. Although only an annual bloomer, it remains in flower several weeks, and the large trusses of superb bloom are unusually attractive. Mr. Dawson considered this the best of all his numerous hybrids. It is unquestionably reliable and hardy at the North. Field-grown plants, strong and healthy, 2 years, 35 cts. each, \$3.50 per doz.

#### YORK AND LANCASTER ROSE

We have at last succeeded in getting a stock of this famous old English garden Rose. Aside from its historical interest, it is really a lovely variety, with a vigorous constitution. The flowers are semi-double and strikingly variegated white and red. 75 cts. each, \$8 per doz.

#### NEW HARDY ROSE, FRAU KARL DRUSCHKI

This is the most beautiful of all hardy white Roses, and the freest flowering, continuing in bloom from June until November. Strong budded plants, 40 cts. each, \$4 per doz.

### New Hardy Yellow Rose, "SOLEIL D'OR" (Golden Sun)

We append the description of the originator: "This magnificent variety, like the Persian Yellow, is perfectly hardy. It retains a good deal of the character of the Persian Yellow, the bark of the wood being reddish, the thorns very fine, the foliage more ample, and the leaves of a beautiful clear green, are closer together. Its growth is robust, very vigorous, making plants three feet in height. The flowers are large, full and globular, measuring  $3\frac{1}{2}$  inches across, and fragrant; buds conical-shaped; color superb, varying from gold and orange-yellow to reddish gold, shaded with nasturtium-red. The color stands the sun well." 50 cts. each.

#### RAMBLER ROSES

CRIMSON. "The Gardeners' Chronicle, of London, England, prints an illustration from a photo of the Crimson Rambler Rose, which is well known for its extraordinary free-blooming character. According to this picture, sixteen strong stalks ornament a hedge twelve yards in length. Every stalk carries about fifty clusters of flowers. If the fact is taken into consideration that each cluster averages about forty open flowers, one arrives at the enormous total of 32,000 Roses to a single plant. The paper also emphasizes the fact that this variety is very hardy." The sales of Crimson Rambler Roses have greatly exceeded that of any other Rose extant within the same number of years, and it is said that the fortunate English introducers of this variety have made a profit of over one hundred thousand dollars with it. For two or three years after its introduction I was rather skeptical of its merits, but I am now convinced that they have never been exaggerated. It is strikingly beautiful, absolutely hardy, and no Rose can be used for more purposes. As a climber it is unsurpassed, perhaps unequaled; as a pot-plant for forcing, the florists are finding it extremely popular. By keeping it cut down it makes a splendid bedding Rose, and a hedge of it is one of the most beautiful objects imaginable. I can supply a splendid stock of plants, all grown on their own roots, at these extremely low prices. 30 cts. each, \$3 per doz., \$20 per 100; a few extra-strong plants, 50 cts.

YELLOW. 30 cts. each, \$3 per doz.

WHITE, 30 cts. each, \$3 per doz.

PINK. 30 cts. each, \$3 per doz.

"DOROTHY PERKINS." This is a splendid new shell-pink climbing Rose. It attracted much attention at the Pan-American Exposition, where a bed of fourteen-months-old plants produced a show of bloom unequaled by any other variety, unless it was the famous Crimson Rambler. This new Rose is of the same strong pabit of growth as Crimson Rambler, and the flowers are borne in

clusters of 30 or 40, and sometimes even 50 to 60. The flowers are large for a Rose of this class, very double, sweet-scented and of a beautiful shell-pink. Raised from seed of Rosa Wichuraiana and crossed with that grand old Rose, Mme. Gabriel Luizet. Absolutely hardy. Mr. Wm. Scott, the assistant superintendent of horticulture at the Pan-American, says regarding the Dorothy Perkins: "This has exactly the habit of the well-known Crimson Rambler. It has flowered splendidly and has been very brilliant. This seems to me to be a great acquisition, and I believe it to be a good forcing Rose. The individual flower is larger than the Crimson Rambler, but it is a beautiful shell-pink in color." 30 cts. each, \$3 per doz., \$25 per 100

"HELENE." Helene is a seedling from Crimson Rambler, possessing fully as vigorous habit as its parent, and entirely hardy. The flowers are larger than those of Crimson Rambler, nearly double, and borne in clusters of 20 to 50. The color is of a soft violetrose, base of petals yellowish white. The anthers and pistils are pure yellow, and so numerous as to give further color to the flower. A group of this Rose proved one of the most effective things I had in my garden this spring. Extra-strong plants, 35c. each, \$3.50 per doz., \$25 per 100.

"PSYCHE." Received an award of merit from the Royal Horticultural Society of England. A cross between the Crimson Rambler and the Polyantha Rose Golden Fairy. In growth and habit it much resembles the Rambler. The flowers are produced in clusters of from 8 to 35, and are 2 to 2½ inches across when expanded. The color is white, suffused with salmon-rose and pink, with yellow base to the petals. A real companion to Crimson Rambler. Strong young plants, 50 cts.

#### CARMINE PILLAR

This splendid new single Rose is extremely effective. It is perfectly hardy, of rampant growth, and literally covered with large, brilliant, single crimson flowers in June. It is the showiest Rose in cultivation. This Rose, in some respects, is better than the famous Crimson Rambler. Strong plants, 40 cts. each, \$3.50 per doz.

ROSA WICHURAIANA COVERING A STONE WALL

### ROSA WICHURAIANA

In some respects this Rose, which is also known as the "Memorial Rose," is better than Crimson Rambler, although it lacks the brilliant color of its more advertised contemporary. As a climber for covering porches, trellises and arches, and as a creeper for covering steep banks or any ground needing covering, it is unequaled. The foliage is a lustrous shining green. In bloom the plant is literally covered with exquisitely beautiful single white flowers, which are followed by an abundant crop of bright red heps or berries, which remain on the plant all winter. The Rose is entirely free from attacks of insects or disease, and is absolutely hardy, root and branch. Strong 2-year-old plants, 30 cts. each, \$3 per doz., \$20 per 100: strong 1-year-old plants, 20 cts. each, \$1.75 per doz., \$10 per 100.

#### ROSA WICHURAIANA HYBRIDS

UNIVERSAL FAVORITE. A free grower, producing long, branching shoots, with bright, shiny foliage in abundance, and soft, light pink double flowers two inches in diameter; strongly perfumed. 30 cts. each, \$3 per doz.

**SOUTH ORANGE PERFECTION.** This is a gem, with free growth close to the ground, and produces multitudes of the most perfectly formed double white flowers about one and one-half inches in diameter; soft blush-pink at the tips, changing to white. 30 cts. each, \$3 per doz.

MANDA'S TRIUMPH. This is a grand hybrid of free growth, with fine foliage and clusters of from twelve to eighteen flowers on even a small-sized shoot, literally covering the plant with its perfectly formed double white flowers, nearly two inches across; beautifully imbricated; a valuable sort for either cut-flowers or pot-plants. It is also very sweet-scented. 30 cts. each, \$3 per doz.

PINK ROAMER. This is without question a hybrid of the "Sweetbrier," and carries its characteristics in bloom, while the growth, which is very rampant, partakes more of the "Wichuraiana." The single flowers, which are produced in close heads, are nearly two inches in diameter; bright rich pink, with almost a white center, which lightens up the orange-red stamens, producing an effect which, combined with the fragrance, makes it one of the most valuable Roses in cultivation. 30 cts. each, \$3 per doz.



WILD ROSES (ROSA SETIGERA AND R. WICHURAIANA) IN ONE OF THE BOSTON PARKS

# Wild Roses of Various Countries

With the exception of the Japanese Rose, Rosa rugosa, American nurserymen have ignored the numerous wild Roses, - which is unfortunate, for they are undoubtedly the most decorative Roses that can be planted, and splendid effects are to be had with them not obtainable with any other plants; and as a rule they are of the easiest culture, vigorous growers and entirely free from attacks of insects or disease. The flowers of all are, of course, single, but many people, of whom I am one, think single flowers more beautiful than double ones, which after all are abnormal, and the coloring, form and often the arrangement of single Roses is exquisitely beautiful. I think one of the most beautiful garden pictures I have ever seen was a trellis covered with Rosa multiflora with a border of colored peonies at the base of the trellis. Both peonies and Roses were in bloom. The Rose was literally covered with thousands of its lovely white blooms, each with a center of rich

These wild Roses can be used in many ways. Some are climbers and can be used for covering anything desirable to cover with a climber; others, like Rosa Wichuraiana, are creepers, and are splendid for covering rough banks; and others are desirable for planting among shrubbery, but especially Rosa rubrifolia, Rosa rugosa and Rosa setigera. Rosa rubrifolia is especially striking on account of its reddish purple foliage, which makes a fine contrast with its own lovely pink flowers and with the green foliage of surrounding shrubs. Rosa rugosa is now pretty well known, but is deserving of the greatest popularity. It has every good quality, splendid foliage, immense single red or white flowers, which bloom freely all the season and which are followed by large, beautiful red fruit, which lasts until severe freezing weather comes in winter. It should always be planted in masses, either by itself or in connection with other shrubbery. It also makes a beautiful hedge.

Each	Per doz.	100	Each Pe		100
ROSA Arvensis. An extremely beautiful creeping			ROSA lucida (Dwarf American Wild Rose)\$0 25 \$	2 50	
Rose, with lovely foliage and exquisite white			Multiflora (Japanese). An extremely beautiful		
flowers; fine for covering banks\$0 25	\$2 50		Rose that can be used as a climber 30	3 00	
Moschata nivea, Mr. William Robinson, the			Rubrifolia. Beautiful reddish foliage contrast-		
great English authority, says this is the most			ing well with its beautiful pink flowers; very		
beautiful single Rose in the world, but he has			striking and pretty in groups or planted among		
never seen our Cherokee Rose growing in the					\$20 00
South; but R, moschata nivea has the advan-				2 00	12 00
tage of being perfectly hardy in the North,			Table 1	2 00	15 00
and its large white blush-tinted flowers are			Rugosa rubra (Japanese Rose). Large red flow-		
perfectly lovely1.25.			ers; extremely desirable		18 00
Andersonii. Undoubtedly the finest single pink				3 00	20 00
Rose in cultivation			Setigera (Single Prairie Rose). Blooms in July;		
				2 50	
Pomifera (Apple Rose). A distinct and beauti-			Wichuraiana (Trailing Japanese Rose). Splen-		
ful single pink Rose, with glaucous foliage.			and the control of th	3 00	20 00
The striking feature of this Rose is that its				2 50	
fruit is very large, bright red and produced in	2.00		Blanda (American Wild Rose). Large, single,		
the greatest profusion			pink flowers followed by showy fruit; dwarf		
Canina (Deg Rose)	1 50			3 00	
Carolina (American Wild Rose). Blooms in			Microphylla (Chestnut-Bur Rose). Pink flow-		
July 15	1 50	-	ers. Curious and interesting 40	4 00	_

# NEW CLIMBING, or TRAILING ROSES

The following new Roses have been tested in our grounds and have been found distinct and desirable.

ALBERIC BARBIER. Very strong grower, with long green branches; leaves dark green, bronzy red in the spring, glossy; flowers in clusters, semi-double or double, opening well, 2½ to 3½ inches in diameter, of a nice creamy white and canary-yellow in the middle; buds of a darker yellow color; beautiful variety, tea-scented; flowers in May. R. Wichuraiana × Tea Shirley Hib-

bert. 30 cts. each, \$3 per doz.

LEUCHTSTERN. Introducer's description: "We received an award of merit for this beautiful variety at the Temple Flower Show in 1901, where our plants caused quite a sensation. The flowers are single, in large corymbs, bright rose with a distinct white eye; exceedingly pretty and attractive. Foliage and habit resembling Crimson Rambler, excepting that it is not quite so vigorous; it is well suited for climbing moderate distances, and for forming large bushes, pillars and pyramids in the garden." 30 cts. each, \$3 per doz.

RENÉ ANDRÉ. Very vigorous plant; branches green, violet-brown on the sunny side; leaves of medium size, dark green, glossy; flowers singly or in small clusters of three or four flowers; semi-double, 2½ to 3 inches in diameter; buds dark saffron-yellow, tinted dark orange-red; petals bright saffron-yellow and orange-red at the base, turning pinkish white veined with carmine-red. Very strong scent of the Tea Roses; flowers in May. R. Wichuraiana × Noisette l'Ideale. 30 cts. each, \$3 per doz.

WICHURAIANA RUBRA. Long green branches; leaves medium size, glossy green; large clusters of single flowers, 1½ to 2 inches in diameter, bright scarlet petals tinted orange-red, white at the base, numerous orange-red stamens; flowers in June. R. Wichuraiana X Crimson Rambler. 40 cts. each, \$4 per doz.

"This interesting novelty resulted from a cross between R. Wichuraiana and Crimson Rambler, and we doubt if any hybrid ever showed its parentage in such a marked degree. The fine trusses of single flowers are of the rich pink color seen in Begonia Gloire de Lorraine, perhaps a shade or two deeper. The foliage is of the bright green of Crimson Rambler, but shining as in R. Wichuraiana. We should not recommend these hybrid Wichuraianas exclusively for ground work, believing them to be worthy subjects for clambering over old trees, rockeries, or to train over a low fence. The latter position is an ideal one; the long growths will soon reach the top and will fall gracefully over the other side. A rustic fence could be constructed in the garden for them. If about 4 feet high the view would not be obstructed, and when the Roses reached the ground they would continue their growth along the surface.

"This new comer will be splendid for table decoration; its sprays are so light, and if gathered rather young and placed in a cool, shady place in water the flowers expand freely. The rich array of golden stamens is a noticeable feature of a beautiful variety, and there is, moreover, a delicate violet-like fragrance. Rosa Wichuraiana rubra apparently inherits the lateflowering habit of the type, so that one may make quite an attractive mound of these two, the crimson variety trailing over a clump of roots in the center, and the white variety surrounding it, and nearer to the ground."—Miss Jekyll, in The Garden.



LEUCHTSTERN

PHILADELPHIA RAMBLER. This variety is a cross between Crimson Rambler and the Hybrid Perpetual Victor Hugo, and is identical in all respects with the Crimson Rambler, except in color, which is a deeper, brighter and more intense crimson, which never fades out; and, while it is not expected to supersede the old favorite, it is a most valuable addition to our list of hardy climbing Roses. 40 cts. each, \$4 per doz.

STANDARD CRIMSON RAMBLER. This Rose, on account of its free-flowering qualities and vigorous growth, makes a beautiful object when grown as a standard. Fine strong plants, 6 feet high, \$1 each.

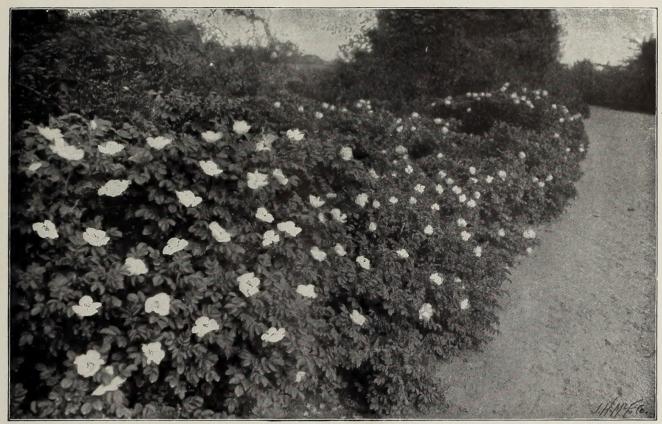
ROYAL CLUSTER. Similar to Crimson Rambler, but with white, sweet-scented flowers produced in large clusters. 30 cts. each, \$3 per doz.

### LORD PENZANCE'S NEW HYBRID SWEETBRIERS

The Sweetbrier, or Eglantine, is acknowledged by all to possess one of the sweetest perfumes that nature has provided, and its delicious scent is the object for which it is usually cultivated. These new varieties are great improvements upon the old sorts. They are hybrids obtained between the common Sweetbrier and various old-fashioned garden Roses, and are possessed of the following advantages:

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HEDGE OF RUGOSA ROSES

# HEDGE OF RUGOSA ROSES

For an untrimmed hedge and for planting in masses in shrubbery, the Rugosa Roses are unsurpassed. They have the finest foliage of all Roses; their large and abundant single pink or white flowers are lovely, and the large and showy red fruit that follows the flowers makes them very attractive until severe freezing weather comes in the winter.

# MISCELLANEOUS ROSES

### THE FOLLOWING ARE MOSTLY OLD ENGLISH CARDEN ROSES

Eac	ch	Doz.	Each	Doz.
Electra. A cross between the single Multiflora and W.			Rivers (Musk). Pink shaded with buff; double\$0 50	<b>\$5 00</b>
A. Richardson. Double yellow flowers, produced in the greatest profusion\$0	30	\$3 00	The Garland (Musk). Very large clusters of fawn-colored buds, opening nearly white	3 00
<b>Queen Alexandra.</b> Large corymbs of blossoms, in way of Crimson Rambler, but paler in color	30	3 00	Vivid (Hybrid China). Vivid crimson, very showy; a fine climbing Rose	5 00
Splendens (Ayrshire). Not a new Rose, but one of the very old-fashioned Roses revived. Strong, rampant			Watsoniana. Pink flowers. This Rose has pretty fern- like foliage which makes it distinct from any other	
	50	5 00	Rose in cultivation	2 50
<b>Felicite Perpetue</b> (Sempervirens). Another old-fashioned Rose; strong grower and free bloomer; creamy white;			in cultivation. Large, single, yellowish white flow- ers produced in the greatest profusion. No descrip-	
beautiful, small and full	30	3 00	tion can do justice to this Rose. Perfectly hardy in	10.00
and resembling white clover blossoms; vigorous grow-	50	5 00	any situation	12 00
Conrad F. Meyer (Rugosa Hybrid). Silvery rose, large and full; of exquisite form, very sweet; a good new			has the vigor and the abundant beautiful foliage of the Rugosa type, and it is the freest flowering Rose	
Rose	10	4 00	in my garden; indeed, is never out of bloom. Its	
De la Grifferaie (Polyantha). Deep rose changing to blush. Double; a handsome pillar rose	50	5 00	large, pure white, semi-double flowers are deliciously sweet-scented	3 50

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